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TOWN SELLS 3 1-2% BONDS AT PREMIUM

Public Urged To War On Flies and Disease

M. O. H. Warns Public Flies Carry Disease And Pestilence

"It has been generally observed that house flies have been more numerous this summer than for many years," stated Dr. J. H. Wesley, M. O. H., this week. "From the time of the fruit season until the frosty nights come we are sure to have them in swarms. The farmers' cattle are covered with them and the stables are full of the pests. Even the usual spraying of the cattle and stables does not appear to do very much good.

"The increased number of these summer pests is taxing the vigilance of the nurses at the York county hospital.

"These house flies are hatched in filth, they are carriers of filth and disease germs on their feet, wings and in their intestinal canals. There is no doubt but the house fly has a lot to do with the sharp incidence of diseases of the stomach and bowels during the summer and fall months, and if every person will appreciate this, he will be busy at every opportunity in exterminating the last fly to be seen.

"All food should be kept in a cool cellar or modern refrigerator, well covered and not allowed to become stale. All windows and doors should be well screened.

"Health authorities have said, and it has not been contradicted, that a pair of flies will breed at least 1,555,200,000 flies in the course of the summer. So by this it would look like good business to start your fly swatting early."



PASTOR LEAVES

Rev. Dr. W. S. Alexander and Mrs. Alexander left on Monday to take up their new duties at South Solon, Ohio. They will be greatly missed here. Dr. Alexander had been pastor of the Christian-Congregational church for over four years. Since the accident in which he injured his neck he felt that the work here was too heavy for him, and he goes to a smaller church. While here Dr. Alexander purchased a farm at Queensville, with the thought of eventually retiring there, and so the hope is entertained that he may yet return to this district to live.

Era advertising is effective.

Era printing is neat.

SAW HUSBAND LYING INJURED ON PAVEMENT

Service For Robert Ashenhurst Held At Newmarket

Struck down by a motor-car, when he stepped out from behind a street-car, Robert Ashenhurst, 70, Queensville, was fatally injured in the city on Monday.

Going to the window of the apartment which he had just left, on Carlton St., near Homewood, Mrs. Ashenhurst who had heard the screech of brakes, saw a man lying on the pavement but did not know that it was her husband. She saw the driver of the car, Sidney Lonie, Wallaceburg, stop and pick the injured man up. Afraid that it might possibly be her husband, when she did not hear from him when she expected, she phoned St. Michael's Hospital and found her fears realized.

The accident occurred shortly before noon, and Mr. Ashenhurst died at 5.30 p. m. as the result of a blow on the head received when he struck the pavement.

A funeral service took place at Newmarket cemetery chapel on Wednesday afternoon. Rev. H. S. Warren and Rev. R. R. McMath conducted the service.

Pallbearers were six nephews, Bert Peers, James Peers, Alvin Peers, Herbert Rogers, John Dunn, all of Toronto, and Wilfred Crowder, Queensville.

Surviving are his wife, one daughter, Mrs. D. B. Beckett (Sarah Marguerite), Queensville, and two sisters, Mrs. Charles Peers, Toronto, and Mrs. W. H. Shultis, Toronto. A son, Spurgeon, died of pneumonia at 23 years of age in 1923 when the family was living in Newmarket.

Robert Ashenhurst was born near Uxbridge. In 1895 he married Jeanette Bagshaw of Brock township, and farmed until 1920, when he bought a house on Prospect St. just south of Pickering College.

The family lived some years here and then two years in Quebec, where Mr. Ashenhurst managed a farm near Montreal. Then, seven years ago, Mr. Ashenhurst purchased the farm on the fourth of East Gwillimbury, just east of Queensville, where he was living at the time of his death.

Mr. Ashenhurst was a strong Liberal. While living in Newmarket he served for a time on the cemetery board.



WINS MANY C. N. E. AWARDS FOR HANDICRAFT

Newmarket and Pickering College are distinctively represented at the C. N. E. this week by Rudy Renzius, carver and metal-worker. Mr. Renzius has delighted the public with demonstrations of carving. In addition he has received a great number of awards for wood carving and pewter work. He took practically all the firsts in these classes. In one class, piece of jewellery, Mr. Renzius placed second to J. R. Carr, Gormley.

MISS NEWTON WINS SEASON FLORAL SCORE

Lou Bovair Is E. J. Davis Trophy Winner Once Again

Bringing to a conclusion one of the Newmarket Horticultural Society's most successful seasons, the gladioli show took place in Trinity United church Saturday afternoon and evening.

An unusually large crowd visited the exhibition. Three shows were held during the season, a peony show, a perennial show and the "glad" show. The perennial show was something new, taking the place of the usual aster and dahlia show.

Miss L. Newton won the trophy for the largest number of points during the three shows.

There were 16 exhibitors and 61 entries in Saturday's wonderful show.

L. H. Bovair won the E. J. Davis trophy for the best display of gladioli for the second successive year. Mr. Bovair also had the best glad bloom, winning with a Picardy.

Norman Gibney won high points with 12 firsts and three seconds. He also won a flower bowl for the best display of asters.

Wilmot Hill was one of the high men with ten firsts and four seconds, winning a basket for second for the glad display.

Miss L. Newton had two firsts and 11 seconds, and won the sweepstake for the best rose in the show.

Mrs. Joseph Stephens, the oldest member of the society, showing an exhibit for the first time, won second prize for a bowl of petunias.

James Gibney had six firsts and four seconds, and won the sweepstake for the best aster in the show.

Howard Proctor won three firsts and two seconds, with the sweepstake for the best dahlia. Mr. Proctor put in a beautiful display of dahlias.

Mrs. C. Harman, Aurora, won two firsts and two seconds. Mrs. Ed. Brammer won two firsts and one second. Norman Williams had one first and two seconds.

Mrs. A. Brenair, Sharon, had two firsts. L. P. Cane had two firsts. Archie Mair and Mrs. I. Harris each had one second.

In the school childen's class, for the best bouquet for the teacher's desk, George Armstrong won first and John Armstrong won second. The two brothers are making their home with Norman Gibney.

The judge of the show was Leonard Butt, West Hill, a commercial glad grower.

Worthy of special mention were the decorative baskets of glads, a class won by Mrs. C. Harman, Aurora.

Also outstanding was the best arranged bowl of glad tips, exhibited by Norman Williams.

Newmarket Credit High, Sale Indicates

Careful Management Of Town Affairs Given As Reason

Newmarket's financial administrators believe that citizens of Newmarket have reason to congratulate themselves on the town's high credit rating.

At a meeting of the finance committee on Saturday, the town sold to Harrison & Co., Toronto bond dealers, an issue of serial debentures for a probable amount of $17,000 bearing 3½ per cent interest at a rate of $100.50 for every $100 bond.

In addition, the purchasers are paying all legal and printing expenses, so that the town is selling on a 3.42 per cent yield basis.

"It is a remarkably good rate," stated N. L. Mathews, K. C., clerk and solicitor, to The Era. "It is by far the best rate we have ever had, to my knowledge. We haven't sold bonds below five per cent in my memory."

Mayor Dr. S. J. Boyd told The Era that he had been telling some outstanding financial men in the city about the sale, and that they were surprised at Newmarket's ability to borrow on those terms.

"They said it was wonderful, away above the average for a town of this size," said Dr. Boyd. "It shows the soundness of the financial condition of the town. We borrowed for less than the prevailing rate. The amount was to be for $15,000 to $18,000, and will probably be $17,000.

"The money will be used to pay for the new well, the land, the building, and the filtration plant. I think we are very fortunate to get it paid for at that figure."

Dr. L. W. Dales, reeve and chairman of the finance committee, said: "After a thorough investigation of our standing, this firm gave us a very favorable price. It is the result of a reduction in capital expenditures over a period of years.

"Our debenture debt has been cut in half over a seven-year period, and the current levy has carried our capital expenditures up until now. So while there are many things we would like to do in town, we have refrained from doing them only because we desire to strengthen our town credit and give the taxpayer a breathing-spell for a few years."

BOB DALES LOSES WEEK OF HOLIDAYS

Hard luck hit Bob Dales, championship high school athlete, when he went to the Ontario Athletic Commission camp on Lake Couchiching to enjoy a two weeks scholarship which he won in open competition earlier in the summer.

Bob was ill in hospital in Orillia for the first week of his stay and for the second week did not feel up to much. However, he reported a good time at the camp. He returned home Saturday.

Stirring Marches and Music Promised For Band Tattoo

Something New And Different Is Scheduled For Band Jamboree

Careful preparations for the tattoo to be held on the evening of Sept. 14 at Newmarket fair grounds are being made by the Citizens' Band. Ten fine bands with 350 musicians will fill a bill of fine, clean entertainment never before presented in this vicinity.

Among the bands to be present will be Brampton Excelsior Band, the cup winners in class A at the C. N. E. for five years in succession, with Orillia Kilties and Oshawa Tank Corps Band, also winners of many trophies.

The Optimist and York township band won their class at the exhibition last year. Barrie have a fine Citizens' Band under the capable leadership of Michael Angelo, which will be very pleasing. Among additional drawing cards will be the popular Aurora Boys' Band and Aurora Citizens' Band, along with Newmarket Citizens' Band.

In the bugle band class there will be the snappy Toronto Sea Cadets and Newmarket's own classy R. S. A. Bugle Band, class A winners of Ontario and holders of other trophies. With these bands an evening of real entertainment is assured.

The program is in the charge of the Citizens' Band's own capable bandmaster, Robert Moore, with Mr. Thiele, president of the Canadian Bandmasters' Association and Lieut. Buckle of the Queen's Own and Brampton Excelsiors judging and conducting massed bands, march pasts and drills.

The tattoo will present a beautiful spectacle of color and light from flood-lights and flares, in the attractive setting of the fair grounds and new grandstand.

Tickets are now on sale at a very popular price with a draw of five prizes, and the request is that you purchase your tickets early.

VETERANS WILL JOIN BAND IN PARADE

All veterans are requested to give their co-operation to the Newmarket Citizens' Band by attending a parade on Wednesday, Sept. 14. They are asked to fall in at the market square at 7.30 p.m. The dress will be mufti, berets, arm bands and decorations. The parade will proceed to the fair grounds, headed by Newmarket Citizens' Band.

Redmen Capture Patterson Trophy With Third Victory

Allandale Swamped 15 - 9 When Red Hitters Collect Homers

By FRED THOMPSON

In a fast, heavy-hitting game played last Friday night, the local Redmen at last finished the series and won the ball game by the score of 15-9. Home runs were plentiful, no less than six being propelled over and under the cars in centre and right fields.

The Imperials started the ball rolling in the first inning when Gracey sliced one of Niles' fast ones back to the cars in centre for four bases.

In the third the Reds got their batting eyes working and clicked for three runs on singles by Hilton, Niles, Brammer and Tunney. The Imps took over the lead again in their half of the fourth inning on a walk, an error and two more home runs.

The Reds in their half went into a one-run lead when they scored three more on Peters' double and singles by Cunningham, Burkholder and Hilton.

Again Allandale tied it up in the fifth but the Redmen were not to be denied and garnered four runs in their inning to go into a lead of four runs. Tunney and Gibney singled and then Peters homered, to be followed by Cunningham with another round tripper.

In the sixth the Reds really put the game on ice when ten men batted and they counted five times. Giles singled, Brammer was safe on an error and Tunney singled scoring two. Gibney walked but Peters and Cunningham went out and then Burkholder doubled and scored two more. Hilton got a life on an error by the short stop and the final two runs were in.

The Imperials counted their final three in the last inning when Gracey walked, Hines singled and Johnson cleared the sacks with a home run to deep centre.

A good crowd was in attendance and really had something to cheer about. Now for the next year the Patterson trophy will be a decoration at Spillette's. The boys all played good ball and gave up a lot of their evenings this summer to provide some entertainment for the local people and deserve a big hand for winning the cup.

Niles pitched a nice game of ball, limiting the free-swinging Imperials to eight hits and fanned four. The Reds garnered 16 assorted bingles off the combined twirling of Goring and Gracey.

The line-up: Giles, cf; Brammer, 2b; Tunney, 3b; Gibney, rf; Peters, 1b; Cunningham, lf; Burkholder, c; Hilton ss; Niles, p.

JUNIOR FARMERS WILL HOLD ROAST

The Poplar Bank Junior Farmers and Junior Institute are holding their September meeting in the form of a wiener roast on Friday evening, Sept. 9 at the home of Miss Viola Rutledge, Huron St. Ruth Wray and Charlie Haines are to be in charge of the games.

HEART ATTACK PROVES FATAL

Taken suddenly ill while at work last Friday afternoon, Norman Harmon, 65 years old, dropped his tools and went to his home on Timothy St. nearby. He went home about 2.30 p.m. and died of a heart ailment at 11 p.m.

Born at Bogarttown on the 4th of Whitchurch, he was the son of John Harmon. In 1900 he married Mrs. Edward Abernethy, who, before her first marriage, was Ruth Priscilla Weir of Sandhill in Peel county.

As a young man he worked on farms about home. After he was married, he worked for four years as a section man in northern Ontario for the Grand Trunk, the family living at South River. For the last 34 years he and his family had lived in Newmarket.

For a number of years he worked with the Metropolitan railway section crew, and for a number of years with the Davis Leather Co. For the last eight or nine years he had worked with the Office Specialty Manufacturing Co.

Surviving are his wife, one stepson, David Alvin Abernethy, Toronto, one son, Roy, Newmarket, and seven grandchildren. He was the youngest and last surviving member of a family of four brothers and four sisters.

Mr. Harmon was an Orangeman and on the 12th of July last took part at Aurora in his 50th Orange walk.

Rev. R. R. McMath of Newmarket and Rev. W. A. Westcott of Aurora conducted the service. Pallbearers were James Coltham, Wm. Andrews, Fred Orr, Fred Penrose, Roy Irwin and Joseph Brammar.

Interment took place at Aurora cemetery beside the grave of a grandchild, Ruth Harmon.

Wealthy Called Upon To Share With Poor--Visitor

Clergyman From Eganville Not Satisfied With World As It Is

"Wealth cannot be allowed to remain in the hands of a few while so many go hungry and unemployed," declared Rev. J. A. Haw of Eganville in the pulpit of Trinity United church on Sunday morning.

"The spirit of love must get a chance to pervade the Christian church, and the rich must share with the poor," said Mr. Haw.

"Profits are for all, not for the few."

Next Sunday will bring to an end the union services.

DR. DALES WILL ATTEND ROADS CONVENTION

Warden R. H. Corner, County Commissioners Dr. L. W. Dales and Clarence Downey, W. W. Gardhouse, county treasurer, J. D. Lucas, county solicitor, and Harvey Rose, county engineer, are attending the meeting of the Canadian Good Roads Association at Bigwin Inn Sept. 6, 7 and 8.

HOUSE IS SOLD

L. B. Rose has sold his house on the north-west corner of Niagara and Queen Sts. to Ernest Fairey.

HELEN DUNN IS WED ON SATURDAY

At the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. J. F. Burr, Richmond Hill, on Saturday, Helen Isabel Dunn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. L. Dunn, Newmarket, became the bride of Harold N. Clark, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Clark.

Rev. C. W. Follett performed the ceremony.

Miss Elsie Steeper, cousin of the bride, played the wedding music. The bride's aunt, Mrs. McCrachlin of Detroit, sang.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of ivory lace over taffeta, on princess lines. Her only ornament was her grandmother's locket, a gift from her mother. She wore a turban of ivory colored velvet flowers and carried a bouquet of briarcliffe roses, sweetheart roses and bouvardia. The bride's sister, Clara Dunn, was her only attendant, and was attired in violet lace over taffeta made on princess lines with a calot of violet colored pansies. She carried a bouquet of Pernet roses, orchid cosmos and lavender larkspur. George Plewman was the best man.

At the reception following, Mrs. Dunn received, wearing a dark green printed sheer dress with a corsage of roses. Mrs. Clark was attired in a dress of black embroidered sheer with a corsage of roses.

The couple left on a motor trip to Montreal. From there they will take a Saguenay cruise. For travelling the bride wore a printed silk frock with beige hip-length coat and beige felt hat. Mr. and Mrs. Clark will reside in Vineland on their return.

NEWMARKET RINK WINS IN TWILIGHT TOURNAMENT

A Newmarket bowling rink, composed of Mrs. Jack Booth, George Stark, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Large won a prize for two wins at a mixed twilight tournament held in Aurora on Monday night. Four other Newmarket rinks were also present.

H. Marshall's rink won the prize for one win.

Mrs. Smith: "The average woman has a vocabulary of only 500 words."

Grocer: "It's a small stock, but think of the turnover!"

New Curriculum Moves On To Second Year Tuesday

May Be Congestion At High School As Big Class Enters

The new course of study will apply this year to the second as well as the first year of high school, Principal J. B. Bastedo of Newmarket high school explained this week to The Era. This will mean a number of new books which won't be available second-hand.

Indications are that there will be a large first-year class, Mr. Bastedo also stated, possibly taxing the staff, which for the last year has been one less than in the previous year.

Mr. Bastedo is in his office today and tomorrow for the benefit of students who want help in planning their courses for the year. School opens on Tuesday.

Mr. Bastedo expressed himself as pleased with middle and upper school departmental examination results. There were no lower school departmentals, he explained.

IS ON HOLIDAY

Ian Edgar is temporary caretaker at the post office while Harvey McCordick is on holiday.

IS A WINNER

E. A. Boyd was a prize-winner at the C. N. E. yesterday, being among the fortunate to receive one of the pure food prizes.

Advertising Pays

An Arkansas woman advertised for a husband. She got one at a cost of $9. He enlisted in the army and was killed. She got $3,000 insurance and a widow's pension for the rest of her life. Yet, some will tell you that advertising doesn't pay!

CECIL SNYDER IS ILL

Cecil L. Snyder, K. C., senior counsel in the attorney-general's department, went to Vancouver early in August to attend the annual meeting of the Canadian Bar Association, was taken ill, and is still in St. Paul's Hospital there, according to word received here by Arleigh Armstrong, Newmarket barrister. Mr. Snyder is a frequent visitor in Newmarket.

RUTH PEARSON WED AT KIRKLAND

A wedding of particular interest to Newmarket people took place at Trinity United church, Kirkland Lake, on Thursday, Aug. 18, when Dorothy Ruth, younger daughter of Mr. P. W. Pearson, Newmarket, and the late Mrs. Pearson, became the bride of Charles William Alfred Ames, son of Mrs. Margaret Ames, Kirkland Lake, and the late Dr. Calvin Alfred Ames.

Dr. Ames was formerly of the staff of the Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment hospital here, in the building which is now Pickering College, and subsequently practised medicine in Newmarket and in Toronto.

Miss Pearson was attended by Mrs. Wm. Henderson, a sister of the groom, and Mr. Ames was attended by Mr. Ernest Gill, a brother-in-law, of Kirkland Lake.

Rev. J. E. Graham conducted the service, which took place at 7.30 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Ames are at present visiting Mrs. Ames' father, Mr. Pearson. Mrs. Ames is assistant dietitian at the Western Pennsylvania Hospital, at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, and will continue in that post for the present. Later, Mr. and Mrs. Ames will live in Kirkland Lake.

GRAIN CLUBS TO MEET SATURDAY

A meeting of the Lions' boys' grain club will be held in the board room of the department of agriculture at Newmarket on Saturday afternoon of this week at 2 o'clock standard time, according to an announcement by Gordon Proctor, president, W. M. Cockburn, agricultural representative and Joe Hall, secretary.

A meeting of the Newmarket boys' grain club (second year group) will be held in the board room on Saturday night of this week at 7.45 standard time, it is announced by Neil Faris, president, W. M. Cockburn, agricultural representative, and Rae McClure, secretary.

Boys unable to attend their own meeting are urged to attend the meeting of the other group. There will be a quiz on the manual and some practice in seed judging.

EVEN OPPONENTS PLEASED - REEVE

Thanks to the public for co-operation in maintaining safe driving on the Lake Shore road were expressed to The Era by Reeve Ernest Morton of North Gwillimbury this week.

"Earlier in the summer we had complaints about fast driving on the Lake Shore pavement, and we issued warnings with good results," said Mr. Morton. "Everyone seems well satisfied with the way things are going. Even those who were opposed to the paving in the first place seem pleased with it now."

Lucky Seventh Gives Mount Albert 11-7 Win Over Beach

Ward, Watts, Draper Prove To Be Heavy Hitters For Mounties

Their own diamond not available, Willow Beach played Mount Albert on Wednesday night in Keswick, and after taking the lead away from the Mounties in the fifth inning with a five-run splurge, they were forced under by a seven-run hitting spree by Mount Albert in the seventh, which gave the Mounties an 11-7 edge on the game.

Mount Albert tallied when Ward crossed the plate, helped by a hit by Watts. There was no further scoring until the third, when Mount Albert tallied again with Ward again getting the credit. Both teams continued to play tight ball and further scoring was held off until the fifth.

The fifth was a Willow Beach inning all the way. Retiring the Mounties in short order, the Beachers batted Mitchell's pitching all over the lot. B. Fairbarn and McNeil chalked up homers, both with men on bases. McKelvey, C. Fairbarn and Cameron were the other players to cross the plate, giving the Beach team a 5-2 lead.

The Mounties came back in the next inning to all but even it up with a run by Watts and a homer by Draper. They held Willow Beach off the scoreboard in the sixth, and went on the rampage themselves in what turned out to be the lucky seventh for Mount Albert.

Rutledge, Ward and Case came home as Watts knocked out a homer and were followed across home plate by Draper and Pegg. A two-run effort in their half of the seventh by Willow Beach ended the scoring. Powell and Cameron got the tallies.

Rain made play difficult, and at times it looked doubtful if the game could be completed. It went the whole nine innings, however, to give Mount Albert a clear-cut victory.

Teams—Mount Albert: Watts, c; Mitchell, p; Case, 1b; Ward, 2b; Robertson, 3b; Rutledge, ss; Pegg, rf; Draper, cf; Davis, lf.

Willow Beach: Powell, c; McNeil, p; McKelvey, 1b; Cameron, 2b; Thompson, 3b; Hodge, ss; Gordon, rf; B. Fairbarn, cf; C. Fairbarn, lf.

Umpires: McLeod Brothers.

VETS TO SEEK SALVAGE IN NEWMARKET HOMES

The Aurora Veterans Salvage Corps will commence salvaging old newsprint, catalogues, rags, rubbers, magazines, mattresses, etc., in the near future and will make calls at all homes in Newmarket. Newmarket citizens have been requested to save all of the above mentioned material for the local boys. J. Maaten of Aurora will be in charge.

TELEGRAPH CUCUMBER IS FOOT AND HALF

An 18-inch cucumber, grown by W. B. Carley, Ontario St., was brought into The Era office on Thursday and attracted much attention when it was hung in the window over the weekend.

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GALES AND REGALES

Two weeks holidays in Nova Scotia! We just wish that it were possible for every reader of The Era to enjoy such a trip. Let us try to regale you (word "regale" used in a Pickwickian sense to mean a wordy attempt to make the Atlantic gales blow again for your benefit) with an account of our trip. Two days were spent on the journey down by train, and two days on the return journey, leaving ten days for boating, swimming, visiting and renewing acquaintance. Travelling by train (C. N. R. via Montreal and the Intercolonial) has become vastly more pleasant in the last year or two with air-conditioned cars.

In Passing

Montreal always impresses itself upon us as Canada's most interesting and Canada's dirtiest city. Human beings do not seem to count in the great Canadian metropolis. The majority of families live in little three or four-roomed flats like rabbits in hutches without runs or pens. In the city of Montreal itself, easily seen from the train, are some of the most revolting slums to be found anywhere. In some of the suburb cities, such as Outremont and Verdun, you see miles and miles of flats, all fairly new and hardly slums yet, but mighty poor places to live according to Ontario standards. The typical building contains six flats. It is jammed within a few feet of the sidewalk. To get to the second and third storey flats (there are two flats on each storey) you go up circular iron stairways which decorate the front of most of the newer dwelling-places in Montreal. A flat is likely to contain a kitchen, bath-room, hall and a double-room, so constructed that a curtain will make it into two rooms but complying with a building by-law requiring light in each room. All light must come from the front or the back, as these tenements are jammed hard against each other. At the back there is usually an unsightly woodshed running up the three storeys and a little bit of two by four verandah. These suburban streets, all just about alike, with their miles and miles of steel stairways, are a dreary sight, contrasting sadly with the trees and lawns of Toronto's suburbs.

Rich In History

In spite of the fact that Montreal is landlord-owned, city sales-taxed and padlocked, it is still to us the most interesting city we have ever visited. Its picturesque site, its two languages, its hundreds of beautiful churches, its public squares with monuments recalling colorful history, its old-fashioned narrow streets in the St. James St. section where big business thrives but retail business does not, combine to make Montreal a mecca for tourists. Dirty or not, we like it.

A Little College

At Halifax we attended the Dalhousie university reunion. Dalhousie is a small university with an enrolment of about a thousand students, but with a long and creditable history. Lord Dalhousie, who subsequently became governor-general of Canada, was first stationed at Halifax. He suggested to the British government that the proceeds of a raid on the New England port of Castine during the war of 1812 be used to advance the cause of higher education in Nova Scotia. This suggestion was accepted in 1818, and thus began Dalhousie College. The new college did not make much progress, however, until 1838 when Rev. Thomas McCulloch became the principal. Dr. McCulloch had already made Pictou Academy a famous school, laying the foundations which were to make Pictou county known throughout Canada for its preachers, scholars, scientists and university presidents. Dalhousie and other Nova Scotian universities differ from Ontario universities in that they do not receive any government assistance. They are entirely dependent upon their endowments and private gifts. One would suppose that this would be an advantage, making the universities independent and unafraid of the powers-that-be. We doubt, however, if university teachers in Nova Scotia are any more radical or any more outspoken than their fellows in Ontario.

Half The Navy

The reunion lasted three days. An interesting event of the first day was a "hodge-podge" held on the banks of the North-West Arm. A hodge-podge is a Nova Scotia stew containing fresh vegetables. Following the consumption of the hodge-podge, a college sing-song was held. Half of the Canadian navy (two cruisers) obligingly decorated themselves with lights for this evening event and played their searchlights upon the singers and the canoes and other craft which dotted the Arm. The navy also set off fireworks to enliven the evening. Finally a bonfire was started on the water. All in all, it was a colorful event. A little later in the evening at a dance the writer was pleasantly surprised to learn that his youthful partner in a Paul Jones was the wife of Premier Thane Campbell of Prince Edward Island.

Eighteen Cents A Bushel

The next day on a boat trip to the mouth of Halifax Harbor we had the pleasure of meeting and talking with Premier Campbell. We commented on the fact that Island potatoes always command a nice premium in the Ontario market. That was all very well, said Premier Campbell, but Island growers received only 18 cents a bushel for their potatoes last year. We were sailing on the Lady Laurier, a government steamer which, among other jobs, carries supplies and sometimes medical help to barren Sable Island.

Fabulous Beauty

When the reunion came to an end we pushed on to Chester, where the writer's father practised medicine for a great many years and now lives in retirement except for the care of pig, poultry and cow. Chester is easily the most popular American summer colony in Nova Scotia. Its fleet of racing yachts is a delight to the eye. Chester itself is situated about ten miles from the open ocean in a particularly favored spot of beautiful Mahone Bay. This bay is unbelievable, packed with hundreds of islands, some of them cultivated, some of them pasture land, some covered with hardwood and many with evergreen. It is a yachter's paradise.

Fishermen's Luck

We made an interesting trip to one of the larger islands, Big Tancook, about six miles out from Chester. This island has over 500 residents, hardy folk who make their living from fishing and farming. We were told that few people on the island were well-to-do, but also that there was no one in want of food. The people do a good deal of market gardening, selling their produce in Chester's summer market. They also do a lot of fishing, but fishing isn't so profitable as it might be. The fishermen will receive about $4 for a barrel of fish which will retail for nearly $40 in Halifax. The Halifax market is, of course, very small, central Canadian markets are almost inaccessible as the result of the long rail-haul, and old markets in the United States, Cuba, the West Indies, South America, Spain, Italy and other countries have been pretty well closed to Canadian fishermen as the result of tariff reprisals and nationalistic self-sufficiency plans. These Tancook fishermen are fortunate, because they are also market gardeners, but hundreds of other fishermen, living along a barren coast that will produce little in the way of vegetables, are said to be destitute.

Tuna Fishing

In our party on the trip to Tancook was a gentleman who had landed a 640 pound tuna fish the previous day. There are two ways of catching tuna. For commercial purposes (tuna sandwiches) the fishermen stand in the bow of their little boats and harpoon the monsters. The harpoon, we were told, is attached to a barrel, which is thrown overboard. The tuna is allowed to drag the barrel about until it becomes tired, and then the fishermen pick it up. Sportsmen use a steel rod which is fastened to the boat, looking like a whip in a socket. The fisherman sits on a swivel chair with the rod attached. When the fisherman gets a tuna on his line, the motor-boat operator allows the tuna to drag the boat, keeping up sufficient movement with his engine to prevent too much strain on the line. Our friend had a three-hour tussle with his tuna, and was pretty well exhausted at the end of the afternoon. Just this week, we note, a team of Cuban tuna fishermen defeated British and United States teams in a tuna fishing tournament off Liverpool, Nova Scotia.

Clams

Our "fishing" was restricted to clam-digging. This is a dangerous sport for ladies with white shoes and silk stockings but if you wear rubber-boots you have nothing to worry about. You walk along the beach at low tide, looking for little holes through which the clams send up streams of water as you tread on their holdings. When you see a hole or a stream of water you dig for Mr. Clam. Swimming in the buoyant salt water is also lots of fun. Even if you are thin and bony you have little difficulty in keeping up; if you are average weight you can float quite easily and carry on a conversation at the same time; if you are nicely rounded out, you can't sink if you try.

Governments

The Nova Scotia government has been putting down some lovely permanent highways in the last two or three years, and in so doing has straightened out a lot of the curves on the south shore, yet the road is still so full of twists and turns that 40 miles an hour may be considered a good speed. An interesting fact is that in Nova Scotia all roads are provincial highways. Municipalities, excepts towns, have no road responsibilities. The provincial government looks after even the humblest country lanes, and it seems to be an efficient system. This does not mean that Nova Scotia has lifted the burden of roads off real estate entirely, for the municipalities must collect a road tax and turn it over to the province. Incidentally, we learned something about this question of over-government. When the subject of over-government comes up, we in Ontario usually brightly suggest that the prairie provinces should be only one province and that the Maritimes should unite. In Nova Scotia there is no equivalent of the Ontario county council, or perhaps it would be more correct to say that there is no equivalent of the township council. In Halifax county, for instance, there are only three municipal councils, Halifax city council, Dartmouth town council and Halifax county council, which governs all the people in the county outside of Dartmouth and Halifax. Dartmouth is not represented on the county council as Newmarket is represented on York county council. There are no township councils in the county, but each district sends its representatives to county council. In another county, Lunenburg county, there is no county council, but there are three town councils and three rural councils.

High Hopes

Economic conditions in Nova Scotia are bad but hope is high. Nova Scotia is rich in coal mines but Ontario and Quebec find Nova Scotia coal, even after the federal government has subsidized its delivery, more expensive than United States coal. The people of central Canada are so strong numerically that they can insist that Nova Scotians buy from central Canada all that they cannot produce for themselves, but Nova Scotians are not sufficiently powerful politically to gain similar tariff protection for their coal. Unfortunately, for the Maritimes it is likely to be "ever thus," for a large proportion of the residents of Ontario have come to this country since the Confederation agreement was made and do not remember that the union was originally for the benefit of all the parties. And naturally it is to the English-speaking province of Ontario that the Maritimes look for sympathy and support.

Co-operative Village

We said that hope is high. The chief source of hope is the rapidly growing co-operative movement in eastern Nova Scotia, fostered by the Catholic university, St. Francis Xavier. Catholic and Protestant clergy are working together to give leadership to this movement, which is based on study and study groups. Before these people set up a credit union or a co-operative canning factory they spend a year or more studying business and co-operative principles to avoid the possibility of failure. While we were in Nova Scotia a great co-operative conference took place at Antigonish, with outstanding men attracted from all parts of the continent to see how the people of Nova Scotia are helping themselves. Another interesting event was the opening of a co-operative village, Tompkinsville, with all homes built on a long-term government loan scheme. The village was named after Father Tompkins, the original sponsor of the Nova Scotia co-operatives.

Oxen Popular

On the southern side of Nova Scotia, in Lunenburg county, still untouched by co-operation, we found oxen still popular. We passed a little threshing mill (barn or field threshing is not common because farmers or farmer-fishermen have only a little grain) where there were more than two dozen oxen with loads of grain that they had brought to be threshed. One can hardly imagine the busy Ontario farmer having the patience to walk beside a slow-moving ox team, but the most progressive farms in Lunenburg county have oxen. Oxen, we were told, are a good investment because they can be used for a couple of years and then sold for beef, whereas horses are depreciating in value. Anyway, the well-matched teams of oxen that you see along the south shore of Nova Scotia are picturesque and add to the province's tourist attractions.

The Common Round

By Isabel Inglis Colville

BANDS

Is there anything which can rouse as many emotions as a band?

Its music can induce courage, fear, sorrow, joy, inspiration and worship. And each band one hears has such marked individualism—it reflects the spirit of its conductor for one thing—and hearing its music, one can gain a fair idea of for what purpose that particular band has its being.

It was strange, during war time, to listen as bands changed from their peaceful avocation of furnishing a weekly concert on the court house greens of our land, to the crisp, brisk music which made unaccustomed feet keep in step, in spite of their unaccustomedness.

I have heard men say that often, when, after weary weeks in the trenches, they were ordered out for a rest, that, loaded as they were with mud and equipment, it seemed as if they could not walk the last mile or two. But let a band be sent to meet them—what a change—shoulders straightened, lagging feet took up the step and somehow the very lilt of the music put enough life into their tired bodies to get them to their journey's end.

A funeral is always a solemn occasion, but when a band plays Chopin's funeral march, each roll of the muffled drums seems to strike at one's heart. I have watched military funerals where those being borne to their last resting place were strangers to me, but when that heart wringing music sounded, tears came as if the grief were my own. And the music of a good band can just as easily induce joy.

I have heard bands play for a Thanksgiving service, where one felt one's very soul raised above the worries of every day, and the voices of the singers lifted till it seemed as if the songs of praise must reach the very gate of heaven.

And then there's the music that delights the small boy, and even causes a thrill of excitement in the older hearts — the circus bands. Have you ever thought how absolutely different they are from our other bands?

There is a swift beat—a pulse—of music that induces excitement even in the most phlegmatic soul.

It is as much a part of the waltzing horses, the aerial artists, the chariot races and all the other age-old lures of the tented arena, as the performers themselves.

I'd be willing to wager my hat—especially if it were one of the newer atrocities—that if the music stopped those on the trapezes might hesitate in their act; the horse might stop, leaving its rider in mid-air, thus causing accidents and maybe death to those whose very existence depends on perfect timing.

Last Saturday night and Sunday morning my better half and I listened to the Flint, Michigan, Salvation Army Band.

We thought it such a nice gesture that the Bugle Band should escort them to the church lawn. It showed so delightfully that there can be appreciation and fellowship between musical associations in spite of the oft repeated assertion that the cats of Kilkenny would live in peace more easily than two musical organizations can fraternize.

There was a liquid mellowness of tone in the Michigan band which was unusual in one without wood-wind. Their piano passages; their crescendos and climaxes were entirely effective, and the perfect control under which their conductor held them was a pleasure to witness and a lesson and incentive to discipline for young players who have not yet learned the sometimes difficult lesson that discipline builds and cements a band.

It seems to me a most encouraging sign in the musical world that so many towns are giving more support to their bands and encouraging youthful musicians to form bands. Newmarket Bugle band and Aurora's Boys' band are bringing laurels to their respective towns and showing what can be done along these lines.

No effort to bring music into young lives can ever be wholly ineffectual, and so often enriches a whole life.



SEPTEMBER ROLLS AROUND

BY RUTH DINGMAN HEBB

"Did you notice the housecleaning going on at the little schoolhouse this morning?" Merry Chickadee asked her Nuthatch friend. "They are busy cleaning up and painting, so that they will be able to welcome the boys and girls back to a nice clean schoolhouse."

"I quite approve of the idea of making everything nice and clean," spoke up Mrs. Robin, who had overheard Merry's remark, "but they pulled down my nest in the front porch and it gave me quite a turn."

"What a shame!" exclaimed the Nuthatch. "I suppose you are through with it now, though."

"Oh, yes, I don't need it any more, but all the same, one doesn't like to see one's home torn down," answered the Robin. "The schoolchildren were quite pleased when I built there in the spring and they admired my singing very much."

"And now it's autumn and they are starting to school again," mused Merry. "And I understand that the Tree Swallows are starting south. How time flies!"

"Quite a number of Warblers of different kinds have been passing through here these days, too," said the Nuthatch lady. "I have tried to visit with as many of them as possible, and thus broaden my outlook a little bit. They see more of the world than I do, because I stay in northern York county all the year around."

"Travel does do a great deal to educate a person," agreed the Robin.

"But it's so frightfully tiring," sighed Merry Chickadee. "And if I migrated every year, I know I wouldn't feel that I had a permanent home at all. Part of the year I'd be in the south and part of it in the north and neither one would be really permanent."

"Oh, that doesn't bother me at all," disagreed the Robin. "This is my real home, here near Newmarket, and I just go south for a nice long winter vacation. To be perfectly frank with you ladies, I will admit that I don't like the fall migration a bit. In the spring there is so much to look forward to, finding a mate, nesting, and bringing up a fine family. In the fall, we are getting away from cold weather. It's true, but we have, added to the worry of the long trip, anxiety about our young family. One of my children is not terribly strong, and added to that she hurt her wing the other day. I'm very much concerned about her. So many of the weaker birds meet disaster on the long journey."

"I always feel terribly sorry for the Ducks and Geese, the Rails, Coots and Jack-snipe in the autumn," said Merry. "It's just legal murder, to my mind, when the shooting season starts."

"Why do you just mention those particular kinds of birds?" asked the Nuthatch. "When does the season open?"

"Because those are the only ones that there is an open season for," answered Merry. "Wood Ducks, Swans, Cranes, Yellow-legs, Plovers, surf-birds and shore birds have a closed season all year. The season opens on Sept. 15 at Lake Simcoe, but down here where we are it isn't open until the first of October."

"Of course, we insectivorous birds are all protected, thank goodness," said Mrs. Robin. "And so are the Herons, Loons, Grebes, Gulls and Terns, although lots of people don't seem to realize it and shoot them anyway."

"When I'm feeling blue and discouraged I thank my stars that I'm not a Duck," observed Merry.

"I wonder what the poor Ducks do when they feel discouraged," said the Nuthatch. "They seem to fly in full view in just the same old way year after year, even though thousands of them get killed."

"I suppose they feel that they simply have to get south," said the Robin. "We migratory birds have a terribly strong instinct to get to the south and I suppose they figure that they have a good chance of escaping the hunters. While there's life, there's hope, they say."

"We small birds have a danger of our own in the fall, let's not forget," Merry told them. "The Hawks will be coming south soon, and big flocks of them will be passing this way, keeping a sharp lookout for anything edible in the way of birds and mice. I must remind the children to be on guard for them."

25 YEARS AGO

From Era file, Aug. 29, 1913

Miss Rhea Atkinson is visiting in Aurora for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mills of Fort William visited in town last week.

Miss Lyda Pearson spent over Sunday with Miss Beatrice Wesley, at Roche's Point.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sennett and Miss Winch have returned from a trip down the St. Lawrence.

Miss Evelyn MacKay has accepted a position as vocal instructor in the Berlin Conservatory of Music.

Miss Viola Dorgan of West Henrietta, N. Y., has been visiting friends in town the past two weeks.

Mr. Harry Doyle, of the Office Specialty Co., is back on the job after a holiday trip of two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Y. Brougton are expected home tomorrow from a trip to Boston, New York and other American cities.

Mr. Frank Burchard, of Niagara Falls, who left Newmarket nearly 35 years ago, spent the weekend with friends in town.

Newmarket was honored by the presence of a distinguished visitor last Saturday, in the person of the Right Hon. Sir Wilfrid Laurier, who, with Lady Laurier, are holidaying on the farm of Sir Wm. Mulock, Yonge St.

The following Newmarket people attended the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stephens at Newtonbrook last week: Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stephens, Mr. Oscar Stephens, Miss Eliza Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. M. Andrews, Mrs. Starr and son, Mrs. J. C. Lundy, and the Misses Holliday.

On Tuesday, we were favored with a call from Mrs. B. F. Morrison, who left here 22 years ago to reside in California. She was accompanied by her son, Mr. Charles K. Morrison. Mrs. Morrison expects to spend the winter in Erie, Pa.

Rev. H. F. Thomas has been requested to dispense the Sacrament of the Lord's supper at Queensville and Mount Pleasant. Mr. Peter Jamieson will exchange pulpits with Mr. Thomas next Sunday.

The general impression around town is that artesian wells are not giving as much water as formerly and that this accounts for the domestic water supply being so short.

The interior of the town hall is being tuck-pointed and painted.

Wednesday was the last half-holiday for the stores this season. A number of the local business men attended the Exhibition that day.

Tomorrow is the last half-holiday for the factories this season.

The regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid of the Methodist church will be held in the board room of the church next Wednesday. A full attendance is requested.

50 YEARS AGO

From Era file, Aug. 31, 1888

Mr. and Mrs. John Ashton of Aurora spent Sunday in town visiting Mr. J. G. Muir.

Mrs. VanCamp of Bowmanville has come to Newmarket to reside with her brother, Mr. Moses Vernon, Srigley St.

Mrs. James Gooderham, of Toronto, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. W. Collins, of Whitchurch, during the past week.

Mrs. Orpen and children, who have been visiting relatives in town for some weeks past, returned to Toronto on Wednesday.

Miss Beatrice Thompson, who has been visiting relatives in town for some weeks past, returned to Toronto on Wednesday.

Enoch J. Rogers of Newmarket has perfected a simple invention for bleaching goods and secured a patent on the same day to protect his interest in Canada. He claims wonders for the little apparatus in its line and is now in a position to dispose of territorial rights to those in want of employment.

Rev. Levi Hainer addressed the Gospel Temperance meeting at the hall on Lot St. on Sunday afternoon.

The Bicycle Club of Newmarket is planning to have a Chinese lantern parade in the course of a couple of weeks.

A picnic under the auspices of York district will be held at Aurora on Wednesday, Sept. 5. A. C. Steele, G. C. of Toronto, E. J. Davis, M. P. P. and others will be present and deliver addresses.

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist church at Sutton have advertised a peach festival for next Wednesday evening. After refreshments, a program consisting of music, reading, recitations and addresses will be rendered. All are invited to attend.

Newmarket high school opened on Monday with an attendance of only nine less than at the opening last fall, notwithstanding the new county attractions in the shape of high schools. The institution is now staffed by three masters.

On Monday last, Mr. Alex. Millard, late of Newmarket, was united in marriage to Miss Maggie E. Mulica, of Columbus, New Jersey. About 30 friends were present. The ceremony took place at the home of the groom in Toronto.

Arnoldi Haight received another letter this week from his son in Japan, with enclosure of over a dozen photo specimens of characters and illustrations of Japanese methods of toil, etc.



Patents taken out in the United States recently reveal that two large motor manufacturers are in a race to be the first to put out an auto driven by an engine built into the rear of the car.

Following investigation of many petty thefts, a gang of four juveniles, varying in age from six to 14 years, was arrested this week by the East York police.

Germany hasn't the material, the food, the morale or the wealth to fight another war, is the opinion of Beverley Baxter, British member of parliament, visiting his mother in Toronto.

General Franco, on the threshold of victory over loyalist Spain earlier in the summer, after two years of fighting, is grimly preparing for another winter of war. A steady improvement in loyalist armies has been noted by observers.

Polish papers report that Soviet Leader Stalin has been injured in an auto accident, and his chauffeur, arrested for "criminal sabotage," for which the penalty is death.

Mrs. Mary Sullivan, 65-year-old Boston woman, has been making so much noise pummelling a punching bag in her home that neighbors have asked the courts to stop her exercising in this way.

James Moran, Washington refrigerator salesman, has sold an ice-box to an Eskimo. The Eskimo, Charlie Pastolik, from Alaska, paid 50 silver dollars and a hundred dollars worth of furs, ivory and heirlooms for the cooler.

Members of the British cabinet spent three hours in a "war" session, on Monday, following which Premier Chamberlain left to give a full report to the King. The Canadian government is being kept fully aware of the rapidly changing picture of the European dispute, reports state.

Formation of a Hydro sales promotion department under the direction of Morris J. McHenry is announced by the Ontario-Hydro Electric Power Commission, through its chairman and chief engineer, Dr. T. H. Hogg.

Mr. McHenry, the central figure in this new departure of Ontario's publicly-owned power system, will be responsible for dissemination of information on the varied uses of electric service. The Commission, it was explained in the announcement, believes that its duties are not fully discharged by simply making available low-cost electric service throughout the Province. It feels that if the great range of uses and benefits of electric service in the home, farm and industry were better known, the consumption of power would be increased and its cost to the consumer further diminished.

There is no charge for birth, death or marriage announcements in The Era. Engagement notices cost 50 cents.

STRAND THEATRE
PHONE NEWMARKET 478

LAST TIMES THURSDAY
MICKEY ROONEY - JUDY GARLAND
"THOROUGHBREDS DON'T CRY"
ADDED ATTRACTION
Wallace Beery in "GOOD OLD SOAK"

FRIDAY, SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 2 - 3
DOUBLE BILL
"My Bill" with KAY FRANCIS, BONITA GRANVILLE, ANITA LOUISE, BOBBY JORDAN, DICKIE MOORE, JOHN LITEL
JANE WITHERS in 45 FATHERS with THOMAS BECK, LOUISE HENRY, The HARTMANS

MIDNIGHT SHOW
SUNDAY 12.05 a. m.
MONDAY, TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5 - 6
SPECIAL ! !
MATINEE MONDAY — LABOUR DAY
DOUBLE BILL
JUDGE HARDY'S CHILDREN
Another Story of Judge Hardy's Family
with LEWIS STONE, MICKEY ROONEY, CECILIA PARKER, FAY HOLDEN
Directed by GEORGE B. SEITZ
ADDED ATTRACTION
MARGARET LINDSAY, ANNA MAY WONG in WHEN WERE YOU BORN?

WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 7 - 8
DOUBLE BILL
Joan Crawford in THE BRIDE WORE RED with Franchot TONE, Robert YOUNG, Billie BURKE, Reginald OWEN
WALTER WANGER presents JOAN BENNETT, HENRY FONDA in I MET MY LOVE AGAIN with DAME MAY WHITTY, ALAN MARSHAL, LOUISE PLATT, ALAN BAXTER
RELEASED THRU UNITED ARTISTS

POLICE COURT

CHARGES LAID IN DAIRY ASSAULT

Bail was renewed at $1,000 each for Evan Murrell, Maxwell Murrell, Daniel Kenny, and Daniel Kenny, Jr., all of East Gwillimbury township, who will each face two charges next week of assaulting to commit robbery, and assaulting to commit bodily injury to George Matt. The four appeared before Magistrate W. F. Woodliffe in police court here on Tuesday.

The two charges were laid as the result of an investigation by county constables W. Martindale and A. McCallum, after Mr. Matt was badly beaten up last Wednesday afternoon by four men while going to his work at a Sutton dairy.

G. M. Belford, Cooksville, passing, $5 and costs, charge laid by Provincial Constable A. O. Ferguson.

Harry Summers, Wasaga Beach, speeding, $15 and costs, charge laid by Constable Ferguson.

Frank Beckford, Toronto, speeding, $15 and costs, charge laid by Constable Ferguson.

Robert F. Messer, Toronto, speeding, $15 and costs, charge laid by Constable Ferguson.

Wm. F. Hodge, Toronto, speeding, $10 and costs, charge laid by Constable Ferguson.

N. Abraham, Sudbury, speeding, $15 and costs, charge laid by Constable Ferguson.

Alice L. MacIntosh, Toronto, speeding, $6 and costs, charge laid by Constable F. Dunham, Aurora.

Empire Coal, Toronto, speeding, $5 and costs, charge laid by Constable Dunham.

Phoebe Daly, Toronto, speeding, $10 and costs, charge laid by Constable Dunham.

Dominion Tankers Ltd., Toronto, speeding, $3 and costs, charge laid by Constable Dunham.

Howard C. Heintzman, Toronto, speeding, $15 and costs, charge laid by Constable Dunham.

Gertrude Gardner, Toronto, speeding, $6 and costs, charge laid by Constable Dunham.

D. E. Galloway, Toronto, speeding, $8 and costs, charge laid by Constable Dunham.

Thomas A. Chapman, Toronto, speeding, $6 and costs, charge laid by Constable Archie Shadwick.

W. H. C. McEachern, Toronto, speeding, $10 and costs, charge laid by Constable Shadwick.

Gordon Mairs, Gormley, no operator's license, $10 and costs, charge laid by County Constable R. Watt.

Clifford Willoughby, Sutton, no operator's license, $10 and costs, charge laid by Constable Vern Williams, Newmarket.

W. R. Richmond, Queensville, wages, $59 and costs, settled out of court, complaint laid by Wm. G. Ellis.

POLICE COURT

FINED $100 AND LOSES MACHINES

The magistrate ordered five machines to be confiscated and in addition levied a fine of $100 and costs of $14.50, or 60 days, on Ellis Pringle, Jackson's Point, convicted in Newmarket police court Tuesday on a charge of keeping a common gaming house on his premises in Mossington Park on Lake Simcoe. Lewis Raxlen, Toronto, was defence counsel.

"I visited Pringle's premises and found three slot machines," testified Acting Chief George Stuart. "I played one of them and obtained some slugs which the clerk exchanged for cigarettes. No skill was required and it was purely chance. The machine was a nickel one and the second one was for pennies. The third machine was long and flat and was played with balls. It was a machine purely for amusement. I found three other slot machines in the dance hall at the rear of the booth. Then County Constables W. Martindale and A. McCallum came into the place and seized the machines and laid the charges.

"I visited the premises with a search warrant," stated Constable W. E. Martindale. "I saw Stuart there and found out that merchandise had been exchanged for slugs. Pringle was outside and I brought him in. I saw the three machines in the booth and also three more in the dance hall. Two of those in the dance hall were turned facing the wall, and I was told they were out of working order. One of those in the booth was only out of order, making three in all. I found numerous five cent and one cent slugs in the till. No machine had candles in it."

"The slugs were cashed by an employee, not by the accused," contended Mr. Raxlen. "Also three machines were not in working order. There should be only one machine confiscated."

"The place was being operated as a gaming house," stated N. L. Mathews, K. C., crown attorney. "Since the place is a gaming-house, all the machines in it are gaming machines and should be confiscated."

"Are you willing to allow the pin ball machine to be returned to the accused?" asked the magistrate.

"Yes."

"The five machines will be confiscated, but the pin ball machine will be returned," stated the magistrate.

Additional police court news will be found on page four.

SHARON

BEACHERS DEFEAT SHARON BY 14-2

Willow Beach defeated Sharon in the game played at Keswick on Friday by the score of 14-2; and the Beach team will go into the finals for the Cooke trophy.

The Sharon team scored their two runs in the fifth inning on hits by Ross Eves, Don Smith, Roy Eves and Breen.

Willow Beach, on singles by B. Fairbarn, C. Fairbarn, and doubles by Powell and Cameron scored three runs in the first inning. In the second inning they scored five more runs on singles by Cooper, Bruce Fairbarn, Thompson, C. Fairbarn and Powell, and a triple by Cameron. Five runners counted in the fourth inning on singles by C. Fairbarn, Powell, Cameron, Gordon, Cooper, McKelvey and B. Fairbarn. The Beach team scored their last run in the sixth inning on hits by McNeil, McKelvey and B. Fairbarn.

Sharon—D. Smith, ss; Ross Eves, 2b; W. Newfeldt, 1b; Breen, lf; J. Smith, c; Dew, cf; P. Newfeldt, 3b; Roy Eves, rf; Ganton, p.

Willow Beach—McKelvey, 1b; B. Fairbarn, cf; Thompson, 3b; C. Fairbarn, ss; Powell, c; Cameron, 2b; Gordon, rf; Cooper, lf; McNeil, p.

Sharon — 0 0 0 0 2 0 0—2
Willow B.—3 5 0 5 0 1 0—14
Umpires—McLeod Bros.

The officers and umpires of the Lake Simcoe softball league extend congratulations to the officials and players of the Newmarket softball team on winning the championship of the York and Simcoe softball league.

SHARON

CHURCH TO HOLD HARVEST SUPPER

St. James' church congregational and Sunday-school picnic will be held on the rectory grounds, Roche's Point, Saturday afternoon, Sept. 3. Sports of all kinds will be held, and a jolly time is anticipated.

The annual harvest thanksgiving service of St. James' church will be held on Sunday afternoon, Sept. 11, at 2 o'clock, S. T.

Right Rev. A. R. Beverley, suffragan bishop of the Toronto diocese, will officiate. St. Paul's choir, Newmarket, will have charge of the music, with Miss Lillian Holborn of Sutton West, as soloist.

A cordial welcome is extended to everyone.

The regular meeting of the Sharon W. I. will be held at the home of Mrs. Elmer Fry on Wednesday, Sept. 7, at 2 o'clock. A temperance paper will be given by Mrs. Elmer Starr. Music will be supplied by Miss Dona Fry.

Current events will be given by Mrs. Elgin Evans. A prize will be given for the most suitable dining-room bouquet. Refreshments, a salad plate. The committee consists of Mrs. Parker, Mrs. Alan Shaw, Mrs. G. Farr and Mrs. Howard Fife.

KESWICK

KESWICK DEFEATS MOUNT ALBERT 6-5

Keswick evened the semi-final series with Mount Albert when they defeated Horace Pearson's team by the close score of 6-5, at Keswick on Thursday, Aug. 25. The game produced the best softball played so far in the play-offs and it was always doubtful who the winner would be. Manager Doug. Trivett used Waldon on the mound and Mitchell was Mount Albert's choice.

Case, the third batter to face Waldon in the second inning, hit a home run to score Mount Albert's first run. Waldon evened the score for the Keswick team when he drove a homer over the fence.

Mount Albert scored one run in the third inning on hits by Davis, Ward and Draper. Keswick had four runners cross the plate in their batting in this inning when Baldland, R. Connell, Prosser, Waldon and Tomlinson singled. Mount Albert tied the score in the fourth inning on doubles by Case and Davis, a triple by Mitchell and a single by Ward, to score three runs.

Keswick scored the winning run in the sixth inning. Trivett lifted a high fly to Rutledge in right field and the Mount Albert fielder dropped the ball and Trivett went all the way to third base and scored when McGinnis hit into left field.

Keswick—Badland, cf; R. Connell, ss; Prosser, lf; Waldon, p; Tomlinson, 1b; Trivett, 2b; McGinnis, 3b; Hodgins, c; L. Connell, p.

Mount Albert — Mitchell, p; Ward, 2b; Draper, cf; Rutledge, rf; Robertson, 3b; Stewart, ss; Case, 1b; Watts, c; Davis, lf.

Score by innings:
Mt. Albert—0 1 1 3 0 0 0—5
Keswick — 0 1 4 0 0 1 0—6
Umpires—McLeod Bros.

HOLT

OVER 100 ATTEND FAREWELL PARTY

On Tuesday evening last, about 100 neighbors and friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walker McFarland for a farewell party for Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Brubacher, who are moving to Kitchener, where Mr. Brubacher will assume duties as teacher there.

The evening was spent in games, music and community singing, also an address, which read as follows:

Mr. Brubacher. — We, the friends and pupils in this community school, section No. 6, East Gwillimbury, desire to express our appreciation of your excellent services as a teacher, and fellowship which you have so freely extended to us in the past five years.

You have taken such an interest in our various activities and your leadership has been for our benefit and advancement. You have held us up to high ideals and noble purposes, and we shall always remember you as a most worthy citizen.

As a teacher you have measured up to the ideal, your advanced and modern system of instruction has been an inspiration, and your discipline was not by fear of punishment, but by love and respect.

We now ask you to accept this lamp as a small expression of our esteem and may the light of His love illuminate the pathway of you and your family through life.

Signed on behalf, M. J. Gibney, W. McFarland, Geo. Marles.

The following address was read on behalf of the school pupils:

Dear Teacher and Friend: We have met here tonight, as your ex-pupils and friends, that we may try to show our hearty appreciation of the services you have rendered in our school during your five years in our midst.

We wish to express our regret that your presence among us as teacher is discontinued. We thank you for the interest and kindness you have shown for us, not only as your pupils, but also as young people with us.

You have given us an example of citizenship and sportsmanship which we shall not soon forget. We trust that you will be happy in your new school and that you will still remember us and the happy memories of the past and good times we have enjoyed together.

As a tangible token of the esteem in which we have held you, we ask you to accept this floor lamp as a gift which, though small, is given with best wishes for the future.

The address was signed on behalf of Holt school by Bruce Andrews and Aubrey Rutledge.

Rev. and Mrs. F. Loft of Housey's Rapids spent a few days last week with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. D. Mallin and sons of Swastika returned home Monday after visiting relatives and friends here.

School reopens on Tuesday with Miss Margaret Forsyth of Stouffville as teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Toole of Uxbridge spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Jas. Knott.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Gibney and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Strong of Scarboro at the O'Connor Farms.

A number from Holt attended the flower show at Mount Albert held in the hall on Aug. 25.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Rye and Edna attended church service at Stouffville on Sunday to hear Rev. Sarah Gregory, evangelist, of Frankford.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Reaman and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred King.

Doris Wilson, who was in Toronto hospital, is able to be around again.

Mr. and Mrs. Winston Prosser and daughter, Mrs. J. H. Prosser, and O. J. Wilder of Keswick, Mrs. A. Whipple and son, Dick, of Meadville, Penn., attended a birthday party at the home of Mrs. Whipple's niece, Mrs. R. N. Hoover, Holt, on Thursday evening, Aug. 25. The occasion was Mrs. Whipple's 51st birthday. All enjoyed the supper and evening.

HOPE

SHOWER HELD FOR POPULAR COUPLE

Mr. and Mrs. S. Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stickwood and boys, Mrs. Oscar Stickwood, Donald, Raymond and Blanche, also Miss Mildred Mitchell of Newmarket, attended the shower held at the home of Mrs. Mary Rolling at Mount Albert on Thursday evening, in honor of the bride, Mrs. Jimmie Kiers, nee Miss Mabel Pegg. The bride received many beautiful and useful gifts and everyone enjoyed a splendid evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Davis attended the charivari party in honor of Mr. and Mrs. J. Kiers at the home of Mrs. Ada Rolling of Holt on Tuesday evening. They presented the bride and groom with a beautiful silver flower basket filled with yellow rose buds.

Rev. Mr. Shannon will be back next Sunday. The service will be at the usual time, 9.45 a.m., and Sunday-school at 10.45 a.m.

Everyone enjoyed the splendid music which was contributed by Mr. Milstead last Sunday.

The date of the anniversary services has been set for Sept. 25. The supper will be the following week.

Miss Marian Stark of Newmarket spent the weekend with Mrs. Everton Pegg.

Mrs. M. Tansley, Mrs. A. Brenair, Ruth, Joyce, Doris and Margaret Pegg of Sharon visited Miss L. Tansley on Sunday.

Miss Margaret Pegg of Sharon is spending some holidays with the Brenair girls.

Mrs. Wm. Forth, Mr. Max McCarnan and friend, also Miss Elsie Goode of Toronto, visited Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Pegg on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Cook of Mount Albert and Miss Belle Cook of Toronto had tea at the Fairbarn home on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Meek of Toronto, Mrs. Mary Rolling, Mr. Bruce Rolling, of Mount Albert, visited Mr. and Mrs. S. Boyd on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Gibson and Vern visited Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Micks on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Pegg, Kenneth and Ralph, of Bradford, visited at the Fairbarn home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Barker visited Mrs. Haines at Aurora on Sunday.

Miss Mildred Mitchell of Newmarket spent the weekend with Miss Blanche Stickwood.

Mr. Jack Pegg of Beeton spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. W. Pegg here.

Drastic Change

"Father," said the minister's son, "my teacher says that 'collect' and 'congregate' mean the same thing. Do they?"

"Perhaps, my son; perhaps they do," said the clergyman. "But there is a vast difference between a 'congregation' and a 'collection.'"

ELMHURST BEACH

W. I. PLAN VISIT TO NEWMARKET

Mr. and Mrs. Awrey of Millford, Michigan, and Miss Jacqueline Pollock of Toronto are visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Pollock.

Mrs. Smart and two children are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Miller.

Jack Draper has been on the sick list but is improving now.

Mrs. C. E. Jeffrey of Toronto has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. I. Waldon.

School reopens next week and Mr. Maw is teaching at the Jersey school again this year.

The Elmhurst Beach Institute are invited to visit Newmarket Branch in September.

Mrs. Gordon Mahoney and children, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Obee Peters and Mrs. Mahoney's father, Mr. James Peters, leave for their home in Ohio this week.

The Elmhurst Beach Institute will meet at Mrs. Walter Rose's on Sept. 14, instead of the 13th, as planned before, when the school fair is being held. This will be the grandmothers' meeting and they will give the program. There will also be a cookie contest and the committee would like all members to take part in this.

Mrs. Laura Peters of Toronto and Mr. York of Newmarket spent the weekend at Mr. and Mrs. Obee Peters'.

TO THE EDITOR

MODERN CHURCHES

Sharon, Aug. 29, 1938.

Editor, The Era:—

In the issue of The Era of July 28, we read an article on church amalgamation by Rev. Dr. W. S. Alexander. I quite agree that this step would be a good one. I believe the reason for separation in the churches today is that some of our churches have become so modern.

This modernism has been creeping in for the past 40 years until the spirit of the living God has been driven out. Folk are in the church, feasting instead of praying. We also have the social activities, the bazaar, buying and selling, until some of our places of worship are in an awful mess. We have ministers preaching to join our church, a creed, a doctrine, instead of Christ.

Church membership never has, nor never will save anyone—Acts 4:12—"Neither is there salvation in any other, for there is none other name under Heaven given among men whereby we must be saved, save Jesus Christ."

We thank God we have places of worship in our town which on the authority of God's word are not afraid to preach the old time Gospel. What can wash away our sins? Nothing but the blood of Jesus.

Signed, Mrs. Welly Stevens,
Sharon, Ont.

COUNTY SCHOOL FAIR DATES ARE ANNOUNCED

Preparations are well under way for the 1938 rural school fairs in York county, according to W. M. Cockburn, agriculture representative, under whose direction the fairs are conducted. All the exhibits in writing, art and work books were sent in before the summer holidays and have been judged ready to be displayed at the respective fairs.

Eleven fairs will be held again and the children are looking forward to them anxiously as they were disappointed last year, the fairs having been cancelled on account of the polio epidemic. It will be noted from the dates that the northern townships come first in the list of dates this year. The dates and locations are as follows: Sept. 9, Georgina at Shiloh, Sept. 12, North Gwillimbury at Belhaven, Sept. 13, East Gwillimbury at Sharon, Sept. 14, East King at Kettleby, Sept. 15, West King at Nobleton, Sept. 16, Vaughan at Vellore, Sept. 19, Whitchurch at Vandorf, Sept. 20, Stouffville at Stouffville, Sept. 21, Markham at Unionville, Sept. 22, Scarboro at Agincourt, Sept. 23, York and Etobicoke at Thistletown.

Exhibits in flowers, grain, roots and vegetables in most classes must this year be the product of the seed supplied to the pupils in the spring by the department of education. It seems only fair that the children who looked after their plots should have this privilege and it is understood the staff will check closely on this rule. This year the older boys will do their wood carving at the fair from material supplied and the girls will demonstrate their ability in darning while the wee tots will sew on buttons in the presence of the judges.

The chorus competitions which for years have been a long drawn-out contest have been discontinued as most of the schools receiving special instruction in singing are now competing at the musical festival where conditions are more satisfactory for this work. A feature which proved so popular two years ago is being repeated in the arranging of a dining-room table bouquet, the working done at the fair by the children.

Mr. Cockburn is asking all teachers, parents and pupils to make the fair a display of actual achievements by the pupils setting up as a motto "Learn to do by doing." The success of a fair is not indicated by the number of entries or who wins, but by what the pupils learn. This is a worthy objective and deserves the support of everyone.

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TORONTO MARKETS

Grade "A" large eggs brought producers 32 cents a dozen on the Toronto market on Tuesday. Ungraded eggs brought 29 cents. Ontario No. 1 butter solids brought 23½ to 23¾ cents and prints sold for 25 to 25½ cents.

Spring broilers, 1¼ to 2¼ lbs., brought shippers 20 cents for dressed select "A". Fatted hens, 4 to 5 lbs., brought 17 cents. Butcher cattle were generally $4.50 to $5.50, with butcher cows at $3 to $4.25. Choice veal calves moved between $9 and $9.50. Grass calves sold at $4.50.

Off-truck bacon hogs closed at $9.35 to $9.50. Sows were $6 to $7. Good ewes and wether lambs sold at $8.50. Sheep were priced from $2 to $4 cwt.

LOCAL MARKET

At the local market on Saturday, eggs were selling at 28 and 30 cents. Butter was 28 cents a pound and chickens were selling at 25 cents a pound.

Onions were 25 cents a six-quart basket with small pickling onions bringing 40 cents. Turnips were 3 for ten.

Celery hearts were ten each, cabbage, five, squash, ten, and vegetable marrow, five cents each. Potatoes were 15 cents a six quart basket, plums, 30, and beans 15 cents. Honey was 50 and 55 cents for five-pound pails.

Not So Sure

The wife had run away to her mother. She returned suddenly, and said to the maid: "Mary, get a bottle of wine from the cellar. My husband and I must celebrate my return."

Maid: "But won't it be too much for him, madam? He has already had two bottles to celebrate your going away."

A chap, after placing some flowers on a grave in the cemetery, noticed an old Chinaman placing a bowl of rice on a nearby grave and asked: "What time do you expect your friend to come up and eat the rice?"

Replied the old Chinaman: "Same time your friend come up to smell flowers."

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Help Wanted—Girls required for restaurant work. Apply Dawson's Grill, Yonge St., Aurora. clw31

Help Wanted — A middle-aged capable housekeeper for three adults. Good references. Apply Era Box 21. clw31

Wanted—Man and wife to work on dairy farm, able to milk. No children. Experienced. References required. Apply Jack Lailey, 4th Concession, near Kettleby. clw31

LOST

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CHURCHES

THE GOSPEL TABERNACLE

Millard Ave. — Jas. Taylor, pastor. Sunday, Sept 4—11 a.m. and 7 p. m. Mr. Raymond Rolph of Los Angeles will be the speaker. Sunday-school at 9.45 a. m.

TRINITY UNITED CHURCH

Sunday, Sept. 4

The closing Union Services of the United and Christian churches will be held in Trinity United church, Park and Main, on Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Rev. F. B. Allnutt, B.D., Toronto, will preach at the morning service and Rev. W. A. Westcott, Aurora, will preach at the evening service.

BIRTHS

Ellis—At Queensville, Aug. 28, to Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Ellis, a daughter.

Harrison—At York county hospital, Aug. 29, to Mr. and Mrs. John Harrison, R. R. 3, Bradford, a son.

Ryan—At the Private Patients' Pavilion, Western hospital, Toronto, Aug. 29, to Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Ryan (nee Mary Evans), 416 Hillsdale Ave., Toronto, a daughter.

DEATHS

Ashenhurst—Suddenly, at Toronto, on Monday, Aug. 29, William Robert Ashenhurst, husband of Jeanette Bagshaw, in his 71st year.

A private funeral service was held at Newmarket cemetery chapel on Wednesday, Aug. 31. Interment Newmarket cemetery.

Harmon—At Newmarket, on Friday, Aug. 26, Norman Harmon, husband of Ruth P. Weir, in his 70th year.

Funeral service was held at his late residence, 58 Timothy St. on Monday, Aug. 29. Interment Aurora cemetery.

Lloyd—Suddenly, at Aurora, on Monday, Aug. 29, Kenneth Lloyd, husband of Bessie Mundle, in his 69th year.

The funeral service was held in Aurora on Wednesday. Interment Aurora cemetery.

Martin—At Dunn Avenue Hospital, Toronto, on Monday, Aug. 29, Sarah Ann Nye, wife of the late Thomas Martin, mother of Mrs. C. Lankin, 20 Vaughan Rd. and Mrs. George Baxter, New Toronto, in her 86th year.

Service in Toronto on Thursday. Interment in Newmarket.

Pollock—At the York county hospital, Newmarket, Aug. 30, Linda Frances Crittenden, wife of Joseph E. Pollock of Keswick in her 78th year, and mother of E. M. Pollock of Sutton West, and Mrs. A. B. Currey of Gore Bay.

Funeral from the late residence, Keswick, on Thursday, Sept. 1, at 2 o'clock, standard time. Interment Queensville cemetery.

In Memoriam

Cutting—In sad but loving memory of our darling Son and Brother, Wallace, who fell asleep Sept. 2, 1937, in his 16th year.
Quickly and quietly came the call,
His sudden death surprised us all;
To a beautiful life came a sudden end,
He died as he lived, everyone's friend.
Lovingly remembered by Mother, Father, Bruce and Donald.

Lee—In loving memory of a dear mother, Sarah Ellen Lee, who passed away September 5, 1935. Fond memories linger every day, Remembrance keeps her dear.
Sissie, Jack and Nellie.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Arthur Harrison of Mount Albert wishes to thank the neighbors and friends for their kindness during the illness and death of her husband.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

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—Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Moe from Hillsboro, Ohio, were visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Welly Stevens recently.

—Dr. Glenn Boyd of Guelph is spending a few days in town with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. S. J. Boyd.

—Miss Dorothy Tinegate of Welland returned last week to spend the remainder of the holidays with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Sanderson.

—Mrs. Arthur Sedore of Keswick spent last Thursday with her cousin, Mrs. T. M. Sanderson.

—Mrs. Alice Neilson of Leamington is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. A. Spear.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Spear spent the weekend in Dresden.

—Messrs. James Seldon and Jack Malcolm have been camping at Jackson's Point for the past week.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Little are attending the wedding of Mr. Little's niece, Miss Edna Nelson to Mr. Clarence Robinson at Caledon East, today.

—Mr. and Mrs. Chalmers, Miss A. Hellam and Mrs. Jessie Wickham of Toronto spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hellam.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Holmes and Donald will spend the holiday weekend with relatives in St. Catherines.

—Miss Zilla Cook of Toronto was home on holidays last week.

—Miss Edna Murphy and Mrs. John Murphy enjoyed a week's cruise on the Great Lakes to Fort William and Port Arthur last week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Sanford King and sons have returned from a week's cruise on the Great Lakes.

—Mrs. Earl Pipher and Miss Dorothy Pipher have returned from a three weeks holiday at their cottage at Deanlia Beach on Georgian Bay.

—Miss Gwen Lambert was one of the guest soloists at Bigwin Inn last weekend.

—Mr. and Mrs. Art Broughton of Toronto spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Broughton, Park Ave., Newmarket.

—Capt. Wm. Ross of the 113th battalion, Vancouver, who has been in Toronto for the veterans' reunion, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur D. Evans, 36 Millard Ave., this week.

—Mrs. Henry Blair, Mrs. Homer Blair and her mother, Mrs. Jack Luck, returned on Sunday from a fortnight's vacation at Island Grove, Lake Simcoe, where they occupied Mrs. Otton's summer cottage.

—Mrs. H. J. Crowder returned on Monday from Orillia, summoned by a telegram telling of the sudden death of her brother-in-law, Robert Ashenhurst, who was struck by a motor car in Toronto that morning.

—Mrs. T. Mills spent the weekend in Orillia, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Arthur Thompson.

Mrs. J. L. Marrow of Oak Ridges visited her sister, Mrs. Arthur D. Evans, this week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Allan Forbes have returned to their home on Millard Ave. after being away for the past two months attending summer school and also on vacation.

—Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Weddell had a pleasant motor trip last week, stopping to see the new international bridge at Ivy Lea and also other places of interest at Ottawa and Montreal.

—Miss Greta Noble of Fergus left Monday night after spending a week with her friend, Miss Mildred Rachar.

—Mr. and Mrs. James A. Wood and daughters, Winnifred and Beth, of Bradford, visited the Nesbitt family recently.

—Mr. W. H. Scott of Toronto and Mrs. T. H. Nesbitt of Gilford visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Nesbitt at their summer home at Keswick recently.

—Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Wardman, Whittier, Cal., visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Nesbitt at their summer home at Keswick recently. The former is a cousin of Mrs. Nesbitt.

—Mrs. I. Blake and Miss Jessie Blake of Toronto visited Mrs. Blake's niece, Mrs. G. F. McCarnan, Queen St., recently.

—Mrs. P. Burls, Cowley, Alberta, who was on her way home after spending three months in England, visited her niece, Mrs. G. F. McCarnan, recently.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Thompson, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Thompson, arrived home Saturday evening, from a two weeks' motor trip through the Catskill Mountains, over the Rip Van Winkle trail to New York city, spending a few days there, en route to Cape Cod, Mass., where they spent a week with Mrs. W. J. Thompson's brother and family. They returned by way of Boston and over the Mohawk and Taconic trails through a range of the Allegheny Mountains to Troy, thence to Arkwright, N. Y., for a day or two with other relatives. They travelled approximately 2,300 miles.

—Jim Russell and Robert Brooks are holidaying with Wayne Manning at Island Grove.

—Dr. Bagshaw of Toronto and Dr. David E. Bagshaw of Saginaw, Mich., are in town owing to the sudden death of their brother-in-law, Mr. Robert Ashenhurst, of Queensville.

—Rev. and Mrs. A. J. Patstone will spend their vacation at Big Bay Point, Lake Simcoe, next month.

—Jack Luck, Jr., returned yesterday from a month's visit at Port Hope as the guest of Kenneth Downey.

—Mrs. Fred Mathewson of Flesherton is visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. R. Mathewson, Queen St.

—The Senior and Junior Ladies' Aid of the Christian Congregational church met with Mrs. Alexander's class to give her a surprise farewell party on Thursday evening. The class presented her with a silver rose vase and the Aids gave her a serving tray. After the presentations, lunch was enjoyed in the church basement.

—Mr. Lindsay Gardner of The Era staff is holidaying at his home in Toronto.

—Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Bond of New Liskeard are spending this week with Mr. Bond's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Bond.

—Rev. and Mrs. B. Babcock of Holt have moved to Newmarket and are residing in the Free Methodist parsonage.

Notice To Creditors

IN THE ESTATE OF EMILY DAWSON, LATE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF EAST GWILLIMBURY, IN THE COUNTY OF YORK, WIDOW DECEASED.

Creditors of the above-named deceased, who died at the Township of East Gwillimbury on the Twentieth day of July, 1938, are hereby notified pursuant to the Trustee Act to send to the undersigned proof of their claims on or before the 4th day of Oct., 1938, after which date the assets of the Estate will be distributed having regard only to the claims of which the undersigned will then have notice.

DATED at Newmarket this 30th day of August, A. D. 1938.

Joy Meyer and Floyd Ianson, executors,
by their solicitors,
Mathews, Lyons & Vale,
Newmarket, Ont. c3w31

NOTICE

SHERIFF'S SALE OF LANDS

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE of an Execution against Lands, issued out of the Fourth Division Court of the County of York, to me directed, against the lands and tenements of Albert Marles, in a certain action wherein Doctor L. W. Dales is Plaintiff, and Albert Marles is Defendant, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title and interest of the said Albert Marles, in and to:

ALL AND SINGULAR that certain parcel or tract of land, consisting of one acre, being the south-east corner of Lot Number 12, Concession 4, North Gwillimbury, as fully described in the Deed of the same, registered as Number 6480, for the said township of North Gwillimbury.

ON THE PREMISES there is said to be a small house erected thereon.

ALL OF WHICH said right, title and interest of the said Albert Marles, in the said lands and tenements, I shall offer for sale by Public Auction at my office in the City of Toronto, on Monday, September 26, 1938, at two o'clock in the afternoon.

DATED AT TORONTO, this fourth day of June, A. D. 1938.

W. H. S. Cane,
Sheriff of the County of York.
c4w31

Sale Register

Saturday, Sept. 10—Auction sale of farm stock, implements, furniture, about 500 bushel of oats, at Lots 26 and 27, Con. 5, Whitchurch, mile south of Pine Orchard, the property of Michael Komar. Terms Cash. No reserve, quitting farming. Sale at 1 p. m. S. T. Prentice & Prentice, auctioneers. *1w31

NEWMARKET BOWLERS WIN AT CLAREMONT

In competition with about 20 rinks, T. F. Doyle and Stanley Janes won the men's doubles high for two wins, at Claremont on Wednesday evening. Rinks were present from Toronto, Whitby, Stouffville, Newmarket, Markham and Claremont. Jack Luck and Bert Budd also competed.

Three local rinks, skipped by J. L. R. Bell, H. B. Marshall and T. F. Doyle will compete in a men's doubles tournament at Creemore tonight.

This afternoon, Mrs. J. Murphy, Mrs. S. J. Boyd, Mrs. Goring and Mrs. C. F. Willis are competing at Toronto for the trophy donated by the Globe and Mail.

There will also be a mixed doubles tournament in Bradford on Friday night in which several local bowlers will take part.

A large crowd is expected on Labor Day when a big mixed fours tournament will be held on the Newmarket bowling green.

Dubious

Visitor—"What a sweet and innocent-looking face your little girl has, Mrs. Brown."

Mrs. Brown—"I hadn't noticed. Mary, what have you been doing?"

Mrs. De Jones—"And did you know I am sending my daughter abroad to study singing?"

Bored Neighbor—"No, I didn't, but it's very thoughtful of you."

POLICE COURT

TWO MONTHS JAIL TERM APPEALED

Convicted on a charge of reckless driving T. L. Scott, Toronto, had his driver's license cancelled for three months, and in addition was fined $25 and costs, or 30 days, in Newmarket police court Tuesday. Another charge, of driving while intoxicated, was dismissed.

"At 1.15 a.m. I saw the accused, who was unsteady on his feet, get into a Ford coupe facing north on the road at Musselman's Lake near the dance hall," stated Constable Bob. Windsor. "I went to the car and asked to see his driver's permit, but instead of complying, he put the car in gear and raced away. Constables Fleury and Watt, who were in their car nearby, gave chase. I heard his companion shout loudly for him to stop."

"Did you have your uniform on?" questioned Magistrate Woodliffe.

"Yes."

"The accused drove off very fast and without lights," said Constable Windsor. "Constables Watt and Fleury finally stopped him. I don't think Scott was able to drive his car."

Constable Fleury corroborated the evidence given by the constable and added that he and Constable Watt had chased Scott for about an eighth of a mile, finally forcing him off the road. "The accused said he had started off because he did not know Windsor was an officer. He said he didn't know he was being pursued by the police, even though we were sounding our siren. He smelled strongly of liquor and was in no condition to drive a car," the constable testified.

N. R. Cappe, Toronto, counsel for the accused, advised the court that Scott's condition might have been caused by nervousness, and also that he might have forgotten to turn on his lights. He contended that there was not sufficient evidence for a conviction for drunk driving. Magistrate Woodliffe agreed with him and dismissed that charge. Using the same evidence, the magistrate found Scott guilty of reckless driving and registered a conviction against him.

Pleading guilty to the charge of theft of five chickens, Howard Stiver, Unionville, Ross Ramer and Alvin Sweet, both of Newmarket, were remanded in custody one week pending sentence.

"Stiver is already on probation for stealing a revolver in Unionville last October," stated the crown attorney, N. L. Mathews, K. C.

The young men told the police that Stiver had stolen the chickens from his employer, Mr. Emerson, Gorham St., Newmarket, and carried them out to Ramer's car, driven by Sweet, according to Constable Ronald Watt. Ramer and Sweet waited in the car for Stiver to bring out some more chickens but were frightened by neighbors and drove away, he said. They dumped the chickens, which were in a sack, out on a bank and left them there. The men directed the police to the place next day, Constable Watt told the court, and they found the chickens still alive. The constable added that all three men were very frank in telling their story.

A fine of $15 and costs was imposed on John R. Howting, Toronto, for consuming liquor in an illegal place. The four pints of ale found in his car were ordered destroyed.

Constable K. Mount testified that he stopped Howting's car in Newmarket on July 10, but was given the wrong address and there was considerable difficulty in finding Howting.

Convicted on reckless driving charges, Earle Hatfield and Paul Sunday, both of Toronto, were fined $15 and costs, and $10 with costs of $10.00, respectively. Both charges were laid by Provincial Constable A. O. Ferguson and the offences took place on Yonge St. A similar charge laid against Walter Hurd, Toronto, was dismissed, as the magistrate said it was a case for the civil courts.

The magistrate imposed a fine of $15 and costs on Leonard Chappell, Sutton, for speeding at 65 miles per hour. Chappell contended that he was not going at that speed and that he wasn't driving on the wrong side of the road. Two constables testified they were forced off the road while driving their cars.

Bail of $100 was renewed for Andrew Neilson, Whitchurch, charged with assault against Peter Trivett, Newmarket, bailiff of the division court. After several witnesses had given evidence the magistrate adjourned the case one week.

Mr. Trivett went out to serve an execution on Neilson, he stated, but he and his driver, Ralph Hill, were both ordered off the place. Neilson swore at Trivett, threw him against the car and then put him in the car.

The magistrate reserved judgment last week after hearing the evidence against Thomas Hurst, North Gwillimbury, and this week sentenced him to two months in jail for keeping liquor for sale. Hurst was allowed out on bail of $500 when his lawyer, K. M. R. Stiver, gave notice of appeal. The liquor was ordered to be confiscated, and the premises were declared a public place.

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Every Municipality Should Have Library, Is Contended

University Chancellor Who Became Farmer Gives Some Advice

The Era has picked the following letter by Rev. Dr. R. P. Bowles, former chancellor of Victoria University, from a series written for the Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association, on the subject, "Making Canada a better place in which to live and work," as specially interesting.

It is specially interesting because Dr. Bowles is himself a rural dweller. About 15 years ago Dr. Bowles bought a farm east of Caesarea on Lake Scugog and subsequently took up farming when he retired from his important educational post. He was born in that district, and now his son is farming nearby.

Dear Sir: As the darky said when asked if he could change a five, "Thanks for the compliment."

There are two objectives, both timely and worthy of our rural press:

(1) To make the country "library conscious." There is nothing worth calling a library in most rural communities. The reading done by the people in general is meagre indeed—and relative to city folk it is very, very small. Let every municipality have one decent library. Let the number of books taken out each week be published and let there be a campaign to get more people reading good books. The present situation is deplorable. Get our young folks reading—reading good books, that is a big job. The church is not doing it. The school teacher is not doing it—nobody is doing it. One good librarian is worth many good farmers or editors.

(2) The other objective is to make our country folk "beauty conscious." Our public properties are most ugly—our school buildings are ugly—our churches in the country are ugly—our town halls are a horror of ugliness. Our cemeteries have been in recent years redeemed from their ugliness through a campaign. Note the surroundings of our schools, shrubless, treeless, flowerless, and some of them grassless—their only ornament a pump, a woodshed and two outhouses. Most of our churches are in a similar setting. Within they are bare structures indeed. Every municipality should have a board of inspectors empowered to say what ought to be said about our abounding uglinesses.

And lastly our roads and highways are a sight. The auto has driven away the sheep who once mowed to fine sward the margin between ditch and fence. Look at it now—all gone to seed and buried in dust.

So there you are—two things to do—books and beauty—take your choice but believe me I am not grouching for the fun of it. The depression is passing—surely something beside economics might be in the minds of us all.

Now another thing. The art of advertising has become stereotyped in newspapers. It should be turned inside out and upside down by all being rewritten in a bright newsy style. And the amount of it should increase sixty-fold. Today I want to buy some young stockers, also some young pigs, also a disk harrow, etc. Today someone in the vicinity wants to sell these very things. Neither buyer nor seller is advertising—both have a natural repugnance to publicity. If I owned a rural paper I would drive for buy and sell advertisements by publishing none and then a whole page "free"—just to get 'em started. It would be on condition I rewrote to suit myself each advertisement, and not one was published which was not fairly accurate in description and in which—this is important—exact price was stated. An ad without a price is a sickly ad—not worth a hoot.

Ever Yours,
Rev. (Dr.) R. P. Bowles,
Ex-Chancellor,
Victoria University,
Toronto.

MOVE TO CHURCH ST.

Mr. and Mrs. David Riddell are moving from their home on Queen St. to No. 7 Church St. this week.

CHURCH GROUP HOLDS MEETINGS

Cadets of the Church Army held meetings this week at Kettleby under the leadership of Capt. E. Roe and J. Butler. An evangelical meeting was held on Wednesday night at St. Mary Magdalene's church at Schomberg.

DEAN OF TORONTO WILL ADDRESS FESTIVAL MEET

For the first two Sundays in September, during Rev. A. J. Patstone's absence, there will be a service at St. Paul's at 8 a.m. and 11 a.m. only, with no evening service. The junior congregation will meet as usual. Afternoon sessions of the Sunday-school will commence on Sept. 18.

The annual harvest festival will be held Sept. 25 and will continue on Monday evening, when Very Rev. C. E. Riley, D. D., dean of Toronto, will give the address in the church. A social hour will follow in the parish hall.

Not So Romantic

Friend: "Did you get any replies to your advertisement that a lonely maiden sought light and warmth in her life?"

Spinster: "Yes, two from the electric light company and one from the gas company."

THOMPSON FAMILY MOVE TO NEW RESIDENCE

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Thompson moved this week to Eagle St., and J. M. Douglas will occupy the apartment on Main St. vacated by the Thompsons.

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Jacob Anderson Motors To Oshawa For 92nd Birthday

Born In King, Has Had Long Career In Foundry Work

With the weight of his 92nd birthday resting lightly on his shoulders, Jacob Anderson, Aurora's veteran foundryman, motored to Oshawa on Saturday to celebrate the event at the home of his son, Rev. Harry Anderson. His other son, Frank, principal of the Cobalt high school, was also present for the celebration.

Mr. Anderson was born on the third concession of King in 1846, and came to Aurora to work for the firm of J. Fleury's Sons, Limited, in 1859. He was indentured to the trade of molding and was bound for a term of four years as an apprentice.

Part of his work as apprentice included attending to the cupola and melting the iron. So satisfactorily did he do this that he had it to do right along, and the knowledge so gained of melting and mixing iron proved to be an asset.

His longest time off work was nearly 40 years ago, when his eye was burned, and since then he has had to wear glasses. He continues to go to work each day, acting in an advisory capacity to the molding department.

Last of a family of ten, and the oldest, he can't explain his age.

"I never had a rugged constitution," he said. "But I believe that when you do all the work that the Lord has for you to do, you'll die, and that's the way it will be with me."

There's plenty of hard work in a foundry, he states, but there's nothing unhealthy about it. Mr. Anderson has two grandsons: J. C. Anderson, a barrister in Oshawa, and Dr. Douglas Anderson, in Memphis, Tenn., and one granddaughter, of whom he is very proud.

AURORA DOGS WIN IN OSHAWA SHOW

Talaurora Smasher was named best of winners and Benholme Bayard, also of the Talaurora Kennels, was named best terrier in the show, in Oshawa last week.

Big Stars Feature Finals In Aurora Club's Tourney

All Prizes In Open Events Awarded To Visiting Entries

The Aurora Tennis Club completed its first large-scale open tournament on Saturday in a blaze of glory. The tourney, which attracted net stars of Canada-wide reputation, lasted four days and provided fans a chance to see the best in competitive tennis.

Maurice Margesson and Dimi Havlicek were forced to go the limit in a five-set match before defeating Phil Pearson and Bill Noyes. The winners were presented with handsome clocks by Keith Davis. Phil Pearson presented prizes to the winners of the mixed doubles events, June Merill and Reg Little, who defeated Mrs. Doris Gill and Al Wilson, winning the first and third sets.

In the ladies' doubles, Mrs. Doris Gill and June Merill, also of Toronto, defeated R. Harris and Grace Baulch, of Uxbridge, in two straight sets.

Presentation of the York-Simcoe trophy emblematic of the club championship in the district, was made to the Uxbridge club, who had knocked out Aurora in the finals some weeks ago.

W. M. S. MEETS

The Women's Missionary Society of the United church met on Thursday afternoon of this week in the church parlors.

Industrial Competition Leads To War, Co-op Speaker States

Co-op Guild Ladies Are Guests Of Mrs. R. C. Swerdfeger

The last meeting of the Co-op Guild was held on Monday at the home of Mrs. R. C. Swerdfeger, Wellington St., West. There was a large attendance and a very pleasant and instructive evening was enjoyed by those present.

Miss G. Fyfe, of Toronto, was the guest speaker of the evening, taking as her subject the unequal distribution of wealth and pointing out some of its causes, and showing how co-operation would help to remedy this condition by the use of its many phases — co-operative buying and selling, co-operative stores, credit unions and finally co-operative production.

Turning to the question of peace or war, she claimed that the major cause of all war was economic and showed that industrial strife and competition inevitably led to military competition and finally war. Those who earnestly wish for world peace must start with the children and teach them unselfishness first in the family, then in the local community thus leading up to the larger sphere of politics and national outlook, she stated.

Speaking to the members of the Ladies Guild, she said that she could clearly see that co-operation had obtained a firm foothold here in Aurora and she urged that all those present be filled with such enthusiasm that they would feel impelled to go forth and preach the gospel to those who did not yet fully understand the wonderful possibilities lying latent in the co-operative movement.

After Miss Fyfe had completed her speech, there was community singing and a reading by Miss R. Chapman entitled, "Before the meeting and nothing suited him." The national anthem brought the meeting to a close after which refreshments were served by the hostesses. The next meeting of the Guild will be held on Sept. 12 at the home of Mrs. Stevenson, Yonge St. South, near Talaurora Kennels, at 8 p.m.

"Why don't you go to the bank and borrow money?"

"I did once, but I don't like their methods. They expect you to pay it back when you promised to."

POTTAGEVILLE
CORN ROAST IS VERY SUCCESSFUL

A corn roast was held in John Cutting's grounds on Saturday. The weather was ideal and it was well attended. Surrounded by cedar and well lighted with electric lights and a bonfire the spot gave one the impression of a private park.

Rev. W. J. Burton was master of ceremonies. Old time songs were sung, with Howard Paton at the organ. Geo. Stone played the autoharp, accompanied by Norman Burt-Gerrans. The younger folk played relay races which caused much excitement. After this the corn was distributed, along with other good things to eat. Coffee was served. A collection was taken.

Master Billy Butler returned after a week's stay in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Butler of Toronto spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. Butler.

Miss Doreen Funnell was home from Toronto on Thursday. Mrs. J. A. Funnell spent a few days in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Walton and daughter, Edith, of Toronto, visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Williams.

Masters Harold and Raymond Funnell are in the city visiting their grandparents.

Mr. Jack Skirving and Miss Margaret McKinley of Toronto visited Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Funnell on Sunday.

Mr. Ed. O'Brien and his sister, Mrs. Ed. Payne, and son, Laurie, were here for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. West and family attended a family reunion at the Island, Toronto, on Sunday.

Not So Dumb!

The district attorney was having his hands full in attempting to cross-examine an Indian.

"Answer either yes or no," shouted the lawyer.

For the 15th consecutive time the Indian just stared at the barrister and replied: "Ugh."

By now the district attorney was tearing his hair.

"What's the matter with you?" he screamed. "Can't you say anything but 'Ugh'?"

"Sure I can," snapped the Indian. "But I had radishes for lunch!"

ABOUT TOWN

EXPLANATORY NOTE

That silly grin on our face this week got there just because we happened to be standing beside a lady in a store the other day when she ordered a tin of cockeyed salmon. It sounded as if someone had made a sockeyed mistake, or something.

BERT'S BEES

Round the barber shop these days, the talk is all about new cars. The barber has a car but he wants a new one. The old car is in fine shape, of course. It went to all the hockey games last winter. This winter—it looks as if the hockey games will have to come to it.

The old car has been parked outside the barber's house for several months and it seems that the old car has now got bees under its bonnet. The barber is having a little trouble finding someone who wants a car with bees. The prospective buyers are afraid of getting stung, seems if.

"The old car is a honey," moans the barber. "But every one I've tried to sell it to is afraid of getting stuck."

If the barber takes the advice of this column he'll go at the matter slowly and do one thing at a time. First, he should sell the honey. Then the bees. Then the old car. Then, if cold weather hasn't frozen the market, he ought to buy a new car.

That's what we'd do.

WE FIND FRANK

When we were younger we were unusually fond of cluttering up basketball floors. We played the game in school at lunch time and before supper. After supper we played either for the Boy Scouts or for one of several churches.

We thought we were pretty good. But every time we'd think we were better than average we'd come up against the Westminster team in Winnipeg, and our self-respect would sink lower than the floor of the shower room.

One of the members of the Westminster team, off and on, was Frank Fidler, darn him. His presence on a basketball floor always made it too crowded, in our opinion, and definitely hampered our style. We always swore that when we got little Frankie by himself, he'd be sorry.

And last Sunday morning, right in the midst of the church service, we suddenly found that our ambition had been realized. There was Frank, and he was all alone. Remembering how we had suffered at Frank's hands, and feet, we thought up some nasty thoughts and girded ourselves for action.

Then, our better self prevailed. Something seemed to hold us back. Perhaps it was the soothing effect of the passing of the years. Perhaps we had become a nobler person. Or perhaps it was the fact that Frank, all alone, was up there in the pulpit preaching.

It's a strange world—some of the best sports we know are now preachers. Some of the best preachers we know are also the best sports. We used to think that preachers were super-human persons. We still think so, to a degree, but the emphasis has changed from the "super" to the "human."

One of these days we're going to start a "know-your-preacher" movement. Most of us could benefit from a closer association with those who minister to us. And most ministers, we suspect, would like a closer contact with their congregations. Like Frank, they look a little lonesome, way up there in the puplit.

—J. F. W.

REPAIR CHURCH SPIRE

Recent heavy rains have pointed the need for repairs and paint for the spire of Trinity Anglican church and the work was started last week.

CYCLING PREACHER DOES GOLF MARATHON

Rev. Albert Hinton, 56-year-old minister, who preached in Trinity United church, Newmarket, three weeks ago, after bicycling from his home near Montreal, added to his accomplishments this week. He completed a golf marathon in which he walked 30 miles and played 150 holes on the Beaconsfield's course, in 14 hours and 10 minutes.

Beginning at 5.55 in the morning, Mr. Hinton finished at 8.05 in the evening, he made a total of 736 strokes, or just under 88 per round. He lost five pounds in the day's marathon.

Heisey-Benville Song Team Scores With Song "Found"

Published Song Climaxes Two Years Of Writing Effort

Earl Heisey and Bob Benville experienced the thrill of a lifetime this week when their song "Found," which found its way into an English publishing house several months ago, finally found its way back to the music stands in published form. The boys have had many compliments on the quality of the song, it is reported.

History of the song-writing team dates back several years, when the two met as entertainers on a program staged in Richmond Hill. Earl Heisey plays piano and accordian and Bob Benville sings, accompanying himself on the guitar.

In a behind-the-scenes conversation the lads discovered that they shared a song-writing talent. During the friendship that sprang from that fact the two have written a goodly number of songs.

When he is separated from his accordian, Earl Heisey is a salesman. Bob Benville, now employed with the tannery, was for four years employed as houndsman for the North York Hunt.

Bob has made his mark in local athletics as well, playing in 1932 and '33 for Aurora lacrosse teams, in 1936 for Newmarket and Richmond Hill. This year he has appeared on Charlie Rowntree's Woodbridge lacrosse squad and on the Collis Leather softball crew.

Earl Heisey is well known locally as an entertainer, and in 1935 was heard over a London, Ont., radio station in "Collegiate Varieties."

REV. H. S. WARREN WILL PREACH IN UNITED CHURCH

Rev. H. S. Warren, of Aurora, will preach in the United church on Sunday morning, it was announced last Sunday.

Holiday Includes Dinner With Duchess And Tin Of Sardines

Dudley Wilcox Finds Much Variety In Trip Overseas

Sardine canneries, troop-ship hammocks, duchesses and glaciers were nicely blended into an unusual seven-week holiday by Dudley Wilcox this summer, The Era learned this week.

Leaving Canada some two months ago in company with about 100 other Canadians and five masters, Dudley got his first glimpse of the Old Land when the ship arrived at Glasgow after a somewhat stormy crossing.

From there they went into the land of Scott and Burns, "did" Edinburgh and paid a visit to the Glasgow exhibition. The Glasgow exhibition was not unlike the one at Toronto, Dudley reports. The buildings, however, were temporary ones, and very modern in design. A pleasing feature was the absence of "barkers" and the attendant absence of noise, he found.

The boys paid visits to the Scottish abbeys, inspected Edinburgh Castle, and slept at night in the Redford Barracks in Edinburgh. From the time the bugles blew in the morning the lads were kept busy.

The Canadians then joined 750 Scottish boys on the ship Dilwara. Food and sleeping accommodation for the 900-odd lads was pleasant "to look back on," Dudley states. An "outsize" in men, Dudley found a little difficulty in getting into and staying in the hammocks in which they slept aboard ship. His feet and head kept getting mixed up in the ropes at either end of the hammock.

He enjoyed the fjords of the Norwegian coast, visited two glaciers, and stopped at Stavanger, Norway, for a free tin of sardines and a glimpse of some Norwegian folk-dancing. He also enjoyed, without being much impressed by, the Oslo exhibition.

Back in London the boys were stationed at Chelsea Barracks, and from there they went on a five-day visit to Paris, which included trips to Vimy, Versailles and other points of interest. They visited the city of Geneva, in Switzerland, and saw the nearly-completed League of Nations buildings there. On a free day Dudley went up to St. Bernard's pass, in the Swiss Alps, and found the going cold and damp.

The company then returned for five days in London, saw Windsor Castle, Hampton Court and took trips up the Thames. The Canadians got a big kick out of London's underground railways, and found that by using them it was fairly easy to get about the big city.

The Science Museum, in London, which shows working models of many inventions, interested Dudley very much. In Selfridge's store in London Dudley found television sets for sale. Some sets were selling for approximately $125, he states.

At present the sets are effective only within an 80-mile radius of the broadcasting station, which has programs for a few hours each day. A guide recommended the sets, saying that he enjoyed "seeing" the football matches by television.

With a little prompting, Dudley recalled that he had dined with the Duchess of Kent while in Edinburgh, together with the councillors and the provost-master. The guest list could include only 29 of the tourists, and Dudley was chosen to represent the Aurora high school.

PARENTS ASKED TO VISIT PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Parents of public school children are invited to attend the school's opening exercises on Tuesday morning at 9.15, Principal J. G. MacDonald told The Era this week.

Hopes Aurorans Will See Error Next Year, J.O. Little States

Congratulates Bands At Sunday Concert In Town Park

Congratulations on the spirit of co-operation that made it possible for the Aurora junior band and the Newmarket Citizens' band to share the services of Band Leader Robert Moore, were extended by Ex-Warden J. O. Little, Newmarket, when the two bands gave a joint concert in the Aurora town park on Sunday night.

"It is unfortunate that the citizens of Aurora turned down a grant to the band," Mr. Little declared. "It is to be hoped that in another year they will see the error of their ways."

The wonderful progress of the Aurora band was a credit to the boys and to their families, he stated. The performances from both Newmarket and Aurora bands met with an enthusiastic reception from those who came on foot and in automobiles to all but fill the town park.

Dr. G. W. Williams, one of the most active in the organization of Aurora's junior band, spoke briefly, asking public support for the young musicians.

To be sure of a good attendance at a farm sale, have the list printed in The Era. The cost is low.

Glenville

Miss Irene Keffer of Toronto spent Monday at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Walsh of Toronto visited at Mr. F. Webster's on Monday.

Miss Elsie Sharpe of Toronto spent the weekend at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Wray and George visited at Mr. Chas. Cook's of Aurora on Sunday.

Miss Margaret Barkley and Mr. Geo. Scott of Toronto visited Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Webster on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomson and daughters of Toronto visited at Mrs. Somerville's on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Jefferson spent last week holidaying at Wasaga Beach and Owen Sound.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Flanagan, Mr. and Mrs. B. Flanagan and Miss E. Flanagan of Toronto spent Sunday at Mr. F. Webster's.

Mrs. C. Wray and Misses Orma and Ruth Wray attended a trousseau tea at Virginia on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Keffer, Betty and Harold, of Maple, visited at Mr. Wm. Keffer's on Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. Gould and Barbara are visiting friends in Toronto this week.

Miss Margaret Thomson of Toronto is holidaying at the home of Mr. S. Somerville this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hirzel of Michigan and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Dutton and Rheta of Mimico spent the weekend at Mr. Wm. Keffer's.

Mrs. E. Webster and Mr. C. Webster of Toronto visited at Mr. C. Wray's last Thursday.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Lavilla Hamer, Mrs. Lorne C. Lee and family, and Mrs. J. J. Evans of Toronto have been enjoying a holiday at a cottage at Lake Scugog.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Anderson of Cobalt have been visiting Mr. Jacob Anderson, Wells Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Case and family of Toronto have been holidaying in Aurora and vicinity.

Miss Irene Heath has returned from a visit with relatives at Cannington.

Marie Draper Lyons was guest soloist at the United church on Sunday.

Mr. Keith Davis left on Sunday for a motor trip to Chicago and Milwaukee.

Miss Jean Steele of Ingersoll has been visiting Mrs. Reynolds of Yonge St. north.

Misses Fairbarn of Lockport, N. Y., have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Rose, Spruce street.

Mr. Wilkie Fleury, and Mr. and Mrs. George Fleury and family of Toronto, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. R. L. Fleury.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Teasdale and son of Buffalo have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harry Teasdale.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Schrank and family, of Newmarket, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Hodgkinson on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Cook and family have returned from a visit with Mr. Cook's people near Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Johnson and family have returned after two months at their cottage.

Mrs. M. J. Walker, of Toronto, and Miss Myrtle Brown, R. N., of the Polyclinic hospital, New York, were visiting friends in town for the weekend.

Mrs. N. A. Cuthbertson and Maurice have returned after two months visit in Sarnia and Chatham.

Mr. W. J. Sisman, with his daughters, Pat and Mavis, motored to Quebec over the weekend.

Dr. and Mrs. C. J. Devins have returned from a week's motor trip to North Bay and Ottawa.

Miss Jessie Scott, of Cannington, spent the weekend with her aunt, Mrs. Orval Heath.

KETTLEBY
BLAND REUNION ATTENDED BY 100

Mr. and Mrs. F. Billings have returned home from a motor trip to Watertown, N. Y.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Galloway were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. York, of Sutton, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Williams.

The Bland family held a reunion on Saturday at the home of Mrs. S. Geer with an attendance of more than 100. The afternoon was spent with races, games and other sports.

Miss Betty Slichter, of Toronto, has returned home after holidaying at the home of Miss Lois Burton.

A number of the young people in the community held a farewell dance in Blatchford's hall on Friday evening for Miss Muriel Crawford, prior to her leaving for her school at Orval.

Mr. Bruce Black is holidaying at his home here.

Miss Gertie Ramsden, of Newmarket, visited relatives in the vicinity last week.

Mr. E. Clarkson is improving gradually after a recent attack of pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cooper and daughter, Ruth, of Schomberg, also Mr. and Mrs. Ross Marchant and son, of Lloydtown, were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Black.

The congregation and Sunday-school of Christ Anglican church held a most enjoyable picnic at Innisfil park on Tuesday of last week.

The fussy lady had been pestering a zoo attendant for some time, getting him to tell her about all the various animals and their ways.

"And now," she continued, "there's still another animal I want to know about—but I forget what its name is—a very harmless sort of creature; its meat is used for food, but it has a strong, tough skin. Now what would that be?"

"You'll find one in the refreshment rooms," said the bored attendant. "It's probably a sausage you're thinking of!"

Towners And Tanners Will Commence Playoff Series

Town Team Beats Tannery By 10-4; Eliminates Shoemakers

The Sisman softball players were knocked out of a possible play-off position in the town league on Monday night, when the town team, with whom they were tied for second place, came from behind to beat the tanners.

The game gave the town team the right to meet the tannery lads for the championship, which will be a three-out-of-five series with games scheduled for Thursday of this week and Tuesday and Thursday of next week.

The towners started off the scoring on Monday night with a tally by Wesley Heaney in the first inning. There was no further scoring until the third, when the tannery went into the lead as "Bus" Brown and Ray White crossed home plate. Hodgins let go with a homer in the fourth to put the tanners two runs ahead.

The towners had a field day in their part of the fourth, with McDonald, Mugford, Saigle, Bone, W. Heaney and McMain getting credit for the total of six runs.

After a scoreless fifth, the town tallied three more with Bone and W. Heaney coming in on Sutton's homer. Brown collected one run for the tannery in the seventh and the game ended with the score 10-4 for the towners.

Teams — Tannery: Smith, Brown, R. White, McComb, Bertenshaw, W. White, Hodgins, Benville, Squibbs.

Town: W. Heaney, McMain, Sutton, T. Heaney, B. Pattenden, McDonald, Mugford, Saigle, Bone.

JUNIOR BAND ENJOYS CORN, WIENER ROAST

The Aurora junior band were entertained on Tuesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Williams on the second concession of King. Roast corn and wieners were among the more popular selections on the program.

Shoemen Smother Tanners With Hit Spree In Sixth

Sisman Squad Nails McComb For Eleven Runs To Break Tie

The Sisman softball team pulled a surprise win over the tanners on Friday night when, after the score was tied at 14-14 in the fifth inning, they plastered the pitching of McComb for 11 runs in the sixth. The game was late in starting and by the end of the fifth inning the ball was hardly visible, due to darkness.

Stalling tactics in the fifth inning disorganized the tanners considerably and caused the nearest thing to an argument that has occurred in the town league this season. Errors were plentiful, with six against the tanners and four to the Sisman squad.

Lustic, pitching for the shoemakers, was steadier than both Kidd and McComb, who hurled for the tanners. The latter pair walked 13 men to Lustic's three. The score was deadlocked on three occasions: 4-4 in the first inning, 12-12 in the third and 14-14 in the fifth. It was anybody's game until the fateful sixth.

Sisman's came to bat in the first and tallied four times, and the tannery tied it up immediately. In the second the shoemakers brought in seven runs on six safe hits and three walks given by Kidd. McComb homered with two on and Ferguson walked to first and scored on Brown's double to end the tannery scoring.

McComb relieved Kidd on the mound in the third and started well, retiring three Sisman batters in order. Lustic put on the same act in the Sisman half, and a home run by Milne was the only score. The tanners counted four in their half to tie it up 12-12.

The Sisman crew again took the lead in the fifth as Clubine came in on McKenzie's triple, after walking. He later scored on Pattenden's double. R. White and Ferguson came home to tie it up again in the tanners' half of the inning.

Sisman's settled the issue when they ran wild in the sixth, bunching nine hits, one a homer by Manager Len Holman with the bases full, and were assisted by four free passes from McComb. W. White tripled for the tanners with two on bases to complete the evening's scoring.

"Hank" Clubine, Herb. McKenzie and Pat Pattenden were the big gunners for the shoemen, accounting for 12 runs between them. For the tanners, G. Hodgins, R. White, "Turk" Ferguson and McComb hit hard and often for their 12 counters.

CELEBRATE TWELFTH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Friends are offering congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Patrick, Wellington St., who celebrated their 12th wedding anniversary on Wednesday.

Aurora Mixed Rink Comes First In Twilight Bowling Tournament

Newmarket, Bradford And Toronto Rinks Also Get Prizes

Fourteen rinks, composed of players from Newmarket, Bradford, Barrie and Toronto, took part in the mixed fours twilight bowling tournament held on Monday by the Aurora Bowling club.

A team consisting of Joe Watson, Mrs. Fred. Caulfield, Mrs. M. Nichol and George Sisman, came first with high for three wins. Second prize for high for three wins went to the rink skipped by R. Wedlock of North Toronto, and third went to the rink of Mr. and Mrs. E. Coomes, Mr. and Miss Kilkenny, of Bradford.

A Newmarket bowling rink, composed of Mrs. Jack Booth, George Stark and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Large, won high for two wins, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Marshall and Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Gilman, also of Newmarket, won high for one win.

Two men joined the police force. They were so keen that they summonsed dozens of people on minor charges, and most of the defendants had to pay fines. The two young constables were on the eve of promotion when the inspector was surprised to receive their resignations.

"Why do you wish to leave the force?" he asked. "Are you discontented in any way?"

"It's not that," replied one of them. "Myself and Dan intend starting a station of our own. He'll run in the beggars and I'll fine them."

BALLPLAYERS WIN

Aurora softballers journeyed to the Laskay picnic on Saturday, and came away with top place in a softball tournament held there.

KENNETH LLOYD, 68 DIES AT TANNERY

Ending a career of approximately 40 years in tannery work, Kenneth Lloyd dropped dead early Monday morning shortly after arriving at the Collis Leather Co., and just before starting work for the day. He was in his 69th year.

Mr. Lloyd is survived by his wife, Bessie Mundle, and his son, Reginald, at home. Four sisters live in Toronto and two brothers predeceased him. He was the son of the late Seth Lloyd, also of Aurora.

The service was held on Wednesday afternoon by Rev. G. O. Lightbourn and interment was made in Aurora cemetery.

W. A. WILL STAGE AMATEUR NIGHT

At an executive meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of the Aurora United church on Tuesday night, it was decided to hold an amateur show in Mechanics' Hall on Sept. 7.

The show is expected to attract wide interest in the district, as winning entrants will receive coaching and a radio audition, it is stated. Entries may be made to Norma Eade, Aurora.

Capt. "Bob" Morgan will have the job of deciding who wins what.

Eversley

Scots Wha Hae, the home of Miss A. A. Ferguson and T. A. Ferguson had unexpected but very welcome guests on Thursday, when Mr. and Mrs. Mungo Nodwell and three small daughters arrived to visit their uncle and aunt. They come from Hillsbury, where Mr. Nodwell was one of the potato kings at their horticultural show the previous day. Mr. Nodwell received first prize for potatoes—the prize was a pair of overalls! Mrs. Nodwell received several first prizes for flowers and Mildred Carroll, who was with them, received first prize for a cake.

The three little daughters are Mary, Patsy and Nina, very sturdy little ladies, grandchildren of the late Rev. Henry S. Ferguson, of China.

Miss Mildred Carroll, who came from Saskatchewan to Hillsbury, and accompanied the Nodwells to King, visited her friends, the Geers, at Newmarket during the afternoon.

A friendly gesture was made by the Keffer brothers of Sherwood to help out the threshing on the estate of the late Ivan Folliott. Mrs. Lawrence Folliott is a sister of one of the Mrs. Keffers—hence the connection.

The Keffer brothers brought their private threshing outfit, and five men, and with help from some of the neighbors with teams and wagons, stook-threshed the entire grain crop. They threshed till dark on two evenings, working two very full days. There were 56 acres of crop and approximately 2,000 bushels of grain.

Mrs. Ivan Folliott was called to attend her sister, Mrs. Cecil Ellwood, near Richmond Hill, who is ill. She was absent during the threshing siege, but her niece, Ruth Bateson, with help, managed to provide meals for the threshers.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Barker visited at Scots Wha Hae on Friday. They are at present residing with Mrs. Barker's sister, Mrs. Gunn, on the Jarvis-by-the-Humber estate, west of King City.

King City was very much alive on Wednesday night, when a street dance was held. The enclosed area extended from the United church to Dr. Lockhart's street. There was a great crowd which had to either dance or walk to keep warm. The dance was a huge success.

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LASKAY WINNERS ARE ANNOUNCED

Mrs. J. Burn's daughter, Mrs. Winger, who has spent the summer here, has returned to her home in the west.

Miss Ruth Kerswill is entering St. Joseph's hospital, Toronto, on Wednesday to train as a nurse.

Miss Lillian Parsons of Toronto spent a few days with her friend, Miss Mattie Hambly.

Messrs. George Davis, George Armstrong, Jimmie Gray and a chum from Aurora, holidayed last week at Midland.

The street dance that was held in the village last Wednesday night was a tremendous success. Several of the citizens of King and surrounding community won prizes in the ten lucky draws.

Howard Folliott won first place in the mile marathon and received a five dollar prize.

Mrs. Green of New York is visiting her sister, Mrs. James Patton, of King.

Many competitors entered the sports at Laskay on Saturday. The baseball games were one of the most outstanding activities of the afternoon. Winners of the girls' baseball were Uxbridge, first, and Thornhill, second. In the men's baseball, Aurora came first and Thornhill stood second.

Murray Ezard of Laskay won the silver cream and sugar set in the obstacle race. Mr. Ezard also came second in the 200 yard swim with Mr. Henderson of Vaughan capturing first place and Earl Barnes of Toronto, third place.

The oldest couple on the grounds were Mr. and Mrs. Alec McMurchy, and the largest family represented was Wm. Williams' family of Laskay. Another event was a horse-shoe pitching contest, when prizes went to John and Mervyn Gould of Kleinburg and to Dave and Lorne Gould of Palgrave. Bill Robinson of Vaughan won first in the wrestling, and the boxing was won by Ranny Giunther of Father McGoey's community.

Miss Heather Mizen of Thornhill won first and Miss Lorna Williams second in the ladies open 100 yards swim. These two girls also swam the 14 years and under race to finish in the same position. Ross Folliott of King captured the Miss Kemp prize in the 100 yard dash. This is Mr. Folliott's second successive year to win this prize.

ACCOUNTS PASSED BY KING TOWNSHIP COUNCIL

The regular meeting of the council of the township of King was held at the community hall, Kettleby, on Sat., Aug. 27, with all members present.

The following accounts were passed: parish hall, Kettleby, re rent, $5; J. P. Jefferson, telephone account, $2.21; Art Wellesley, re weeds, $11.80; Gus. Farquhar, re constable services, $5; Maurice Hayward, re constable services, $19.35; Harold Rose, re telephone services, $9.48; O. Emmerson, re supplies, 40 cents; Ontario Gazette, re advertising tax sale, $22.40; H. G. Rose, re registrations, $3.25; Carr Transport, re cartage, 50 cents; Judge I. Mcdonnell, re appeal, $10; Canadian Institute for Blind, $20.

Relief account, $456.08; road voucher No. 26, $527.26.

A cheque for $92.87 was issued to W. W. Gardhouse, for hospitalization for August. This amount was $26.25 less than the bill rendered as the council felt that they had no responsibility regarding one indigent account.

It was decided that a rebuilt typewriter for the clerk's office be purchased from Thos. Whillier for $50 and the old machine.

An account of $21.13, 50 per cent of his indigent patients' bill, was paid to Dr. Kay of Schomberg. Harris Hilliard was paid $8 for a sheep killed by dogs.

The meeting adjourned to meet again in the community hall, Nobleton, on Sept. 24, at 10 a.m.

SNOWBALL

REV. J. W. BURTON IS GUEST SPEAKER

A very pleasant evening was enjoyed by the young people of the community on Friday last, when Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harrison entertained. It was the occasion of Bill's birthday. Games and dancing were enjoyed and after a very bounteous repast of sandwiches and cake, the party broke up in the 'wee small hours.'

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cleland of Mount Forest have been visiting relatives in this vicinity.

Misses Kathleen and Marion Avis of Toronto are spending their vacation with Miss Annie Harrison.

The many friends of Mrs. Wm. Davison will be sorry to learn she has been on the sick list, and hope she will soon be well again.

The Misses Kennedy, from the States, are spending their vacation at the home of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Copson.

The Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. Wm. Farren, Sr., on Tuesday afternoon last. There was a good attendance.

A very interesting talk by Rev. J. W. Burton was the highlight of the afternoon. His subject was "Development of sense of loyalty in youth, toward worthwhile things in life." He explained the individuality of each human being which must not be destroyed but encouraged, if it will find its appointed avenue of expression.

Inherent tendencies are sometimes hereditary but find expression along individual lines, he said, and it is the duty of adult life to find this rare gem of youth and develop it as far as possible. Education is but a promotion of the science of living with older folk, Rev. Mr. Burton believed. By developing a sense of loyalty through the medium of character we are connecting a link which will not be easily broken in later life, the speaker said.

A great many worthwhile thoughts were left with the members to concentrate on. It is hoped to have Mr. Burton speak to the institute again.

The new programs for 1938 were distributed. Congratulations are extended to the program convenors, Miss Bertha Ferguson and Mrs. H. Morning, for their fine work.

A SECOND GLIMPSE

By RUTH DINGMAN HEBB

I made a second visit to "God's Country" (according to the natives) this summer. In case you can't locate it from this title, I refer to the province of Nova Scotia. And it is a lovely country, washed clean by the salty sea breezes, and dotted with little freshwater lakes and clear, rushing streams.

Chester, a seaside summer resort, which calls itself the Riviera of Canada, was the scene of most of our activities this year. One day we went out to Big Tancook island, by motor boat, an island about six miles out in Chester harbor, populated by from 500 to 1,000 inshore fisherfolk. Although their homes are quite humble, the people out there seem quite happy and their homes are surrounded by flowers. We made a visit to an old cemetery where there were graves a hundred years old. The number of deaths of babies and little children some 50 years ago told a tale of epidemics beyond reach of a doctor and a number of deaths of young people in their twenties hinted at frequent drowning accidents.

An American gentleman who accompanied us to Tancook had the day previous caught a 600-pound tuna fish, which it took three hours to land.

Much of our time was spent in sailing in among the islands of beautiful Chester harbor, where scores of sailing yachts are seen every day, racing or just on pure pleasure bent.

A second glimpse confirmed my impression that Nova Scotians are not as concerned with the passage of time as are we Ontarians. They do not seem to rush and bustle the way we do, and they do not seem to have to work so hard to keep their heads above water (that may be because it's easy to keep afloat in salt-water). Many of the farmers use oxen, animals which just never hurry—they plod along at a snail's pace. And, of course, the farms are not rich and fertile as are the Ontario farms—much of the land is rocky and the soil poor.

We visited one very large and prosperous farm, however, where the farmer didn't have time to stop sorting and grading tomatoes to talk to us—even though we were relatives. This farm was a market farm and produced huge quantities of fruits and vegetables. It included a nine-acre cranberry bog, which yielded about 800 barrels of cranberries—which just grew.

We made a trip to a wonderful surf-bathing beach, called Crescent Beach, where the waves came rolling in from the open ocean. The lovely sand beach stretched out for about two miles, wide enough for several cars to drive abreast, when we arrived. On the return trip a couple of hours later, the incoming tide had reduced it to just room enough for about one car. One of the strange and delightful characteristics of this beach was that we were almost the only people there on that beautiful warm sunny afternoon. I thought of the number of people that would be at Wasaga Beach and the Lake Simcoe beaches on such a day. Of course, there are less people in the whole of Nova Scotia than there are in the city of Toronto proper, without including the suburbs.

We saw Halifax harbor on the government boat, the Lady Laurier, one sunny morning—and heard stories of shipwrecks and daring adventures in the old days.

Sailing is the favorite sport all along the coast and many beautiful yachts may be seen scudding gracefully before the wind—they may be little sloops, with a mainsail and jib, or schooner-rigged two-masted affairs, or marconi-rigged aristocrats of yachtdom, with one big sail and a funny balloon spinnaker in front, but they're all fun to dip and tip in.

Any Ontarian who has a chance to do so, would I think, enjoy a holiday in the land of the lobster and the clam, the scallop and the winkle. It is also the land of very friendly and hospitable people.



We drove out one Sunday afternoon to view the ruins of the historic French fort near Louisburg. Going through the village we discovered that Mr. and Mrs. Frank Macdonald of Sydney had just achieved a flat tire. I decided to stop and assist them and then ride on with them to the fort.

Frank Macdonald's jack proved too high for his auto axle so we got a rail and some blocks and utilized the good old principle of the lever. Together we visited the fort in company with Father Doyle, who has been promoting co-operatives in his parish of Louisburg, and Paddy Somebody, who is secretary of the local credit union. But it is of today's Frank Macdonald I wish to write rather than of old imperialist wars. On the hour's drive back to Sydney we got the story.

In his youth, Frank Macdonald was very much of an individualist. He thought that if he made his own way others should too. But then came the depression. His fellow townsmen knew grim privation. His own job in the steel mill continued; but his earnings reduced so that he could no longer make payments on his house. He became very disturbed when he thought of the prevalence of want in the midst of abundance.

Then came Father Coady, with his gospel of study groups for action. Frank Macdonald was interested. So were half a dozen others. They got together regularly to study. They met for weeks. But they didn't seem to be getting anywhere. Never could they increase their number. One night they met in the Macdonald home in the spirit of discouragement. What should they do to get action? Or must they quit?

Mrs. Macdonald listened for awhile. Then she asked the men if they had ever tried to get their wives into the movement. They had not tried very hard. So Mrs. Macdonald promised to rally a group of women for the next meeting. Apparently that was the turning point.

The credit union in Sydney soon became a reality. In three years their co-operative store has had a volume of business three times as great as that of Yorkdale in our own county. All because a small group worked away until the public got behind the movement. And because the people have supported the store with all the business they could, the co-operative has paid them well in service and in dividends.

But what of the Macdonalds? They took me around to see their comfortable home. They chatted proudly about their two little girls. And then there is the son, aged two years, Michael Coady Macdonald, named after the great crusading priest who is a kind of hero saint in the Macdonald family.

I do not know what Frank Macdonald's official position is in regard to the store or the credit union. But I do know that he is very active in such work. I also know that he forsook the political party for which he had been taught to vote by his grandfather or someone like that. Last election he voted for a man and a policy. So did Mrs. Macdonald.

Here are people who make no pretentions of superiority. They belong to a people who work for their living and are proud of the fact. In their own time and in their own way they have undertaken a vital reconstruction of the community. And they have already achieved significant beginnings.

Flowers And Weeds

By DELPHINIUM

Noah Webster, in his dictionary, defines weeds as "Plants that are useless or troublesome." So many of our weeds have medicinal values that they cannot be termed useless, but are troublesome.

A weed also is any plant—however lovely—growing where it is not wanted. If you have rows of onions growing, you weed out anything that is not onions, that is, if you are strong-minded. Among my onion rows grew a few scattered plants of large red poppies, a few very bushy cosmos, and a scattered few large golden sunflowers.

I knew that where these flowers grow, the onions will be few or very small, but they will do for Dutch sets, to be planted and grow large onions next spring. And I do like a few flowers to break the monotony of the correct rows.

Should there be too many, they must be weeded out, though they are only weeds, when grown where not wanted among other crops.

A weed is a flower grown wild. Flowers of rare culture seldom become weeds because they do not produce sufficient seed. So the flowers that tend to become weeds are those which produce seed abundantly and drop their seeds or scatter them lavishly.

I do not sow the seeds of those large red, beautiful silk poppies. I did once. That was sufficient for all time, unless I harden my heart and pull every one up. I try each autumn to keep them from seeding down, by cutting off the pagoda seed pod while the seed is still green and burning them, but should one be missed, there will be plenty of plants next spring. The same with Scotch marigolds, and cosmos. But they are beautiful, and when allowed to seed themselves down, they grow into stronger plants with a wealth of flowers much earlier than if planted or transplanted in the spring. Lots of the plants must be weeded out, but I cannot yet call them weeds.

A tea made of the whole marigold plant, except root, is one of the most healing remedies for cuts or broken skin. At the drug store you would ask for tincture of calendula.

The sunflower seeds, while a splendid food for birds and hens, are made into a syrup to cure whooping cough and all pulmonary troubles. Poppies are sleep-producing.

Many of our wayside weeds have run away from gardens, and, being unrestricted, have multiplied and run riot. Such is the ox-eye daisy. It is beautiful, but one flower can distribute enough seed to start trouble, not only on the roadside—the flower is beautiful there—but in the field, where in years to come, it will have conquered the crop, and the land is no use even for pasture.

I do like to pluck a bouquet of these daisies, and make dear little faces of them, but when they are done, they go into the stove. The buttercups are so brightly yellow and early in the season make the roadside beautiful among the green grass, but apparently they are too bitter for cattle to eat, and somewhere I have seen fields entirely given up to them.

Some weeds are so beautiful they become a menace before we are aware of their character. I remember the beautiful yellow flowers in a neighbor's grain field. It was sow-thistle—one of our worst weeds, succulent and growing from any small piece of root. Even though cut when in bloom it will mature seed which scatters in the wind, hooks itself in the stubble and begins trouble for the farmer.

A friend told me once how, as a girl, she saw a new plant in the garden where they had just moved. She watered it and tended it. When she showed it to her father, he said, "Pull it up, it is sow-thistle." And so often mischief has begun before we are aware of the character of the plant.

In olden days, wherever a log shack was built, there were planted the old-fashioned flowers, and to this day you will find a clump of lilacs, some orange lilies, musk-mallow and possibly pinks—or bouncing bet. The scythe of the weed control man may cut them down. They have not the weed characteristic, they are not troublesome and they are still beautiful.

But there is a cheese-mallow which is a weed, though a beautiful one. It overruns all the space around the yards not occupied by gardens. It certainly makes a beautiful setting, but it tries had to get a hold among the garden plants and is really a troublesome weed. Cut it off, and it grows more abundantly. Its slight tap root goes down to moisture and is not easily pulled up.

PINE ORCHARD

MRS. JOHN REID ENTERTAINS W. W.

The Willing Workers' meeting will be held on Wednesday at the home of Mrs. John Reid. The assistant will be Mrs. R. Howlett; scripture reading, Mrs. R. Howlett; prayer, Mrs. John Reid; topic, "Reasons for thankfulness," Mrs. E. Starr; roll call, Bible character; music, Jean Stevens.

Mrs. M. Wilson was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Smith, at Covelly Beach, Lake Simcoe, for part of last week.

Miss Florence Tucker arrived home on Sunday after spending the summer working at Simcoe Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Morton and two boys of Queensville spent Sunday at Mrs. G. McClure's home.

Mr. and Mrs. Colville attended the exhibition on Saturday. Mrs. F. Hicks returned home with them and Mrs. Storry remained at Mrs. Hick's home for the day.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Atkinson and family, of Bethesda, had dinner on Sunday at Mr. M. Sheridan's home.

Mrs. M. F. Starr arrived on Wednesday from Simcoe after spending a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Tom Cleaver, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Hope and Betty motored to Bronte on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hunt entertained their daughter and family, and Mrs. N. Kay for Sunday dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Toole, Mr. and Mrs. A. Forbes and Miss Forbes, had dinner at Mr. Earl Toole's home on Tuesday.

Mrs. John McClure, Joyce Van Luven, and Mrs. John Clayton were guests for tea at Mr. M. Sheridan's home on Tuesday.

Vandorf

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Oliver visited Mr. and Mrs. Carman Rose at Holt on Sunday.

Mr. Edgar Rose is ill at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Allin and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Graham on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Barnes and Carrol of Sarnia, Mrs. H. Boody, and Mrs. A. L. Henderson of Toronto visited the Switzer home on Thursday.

Mrs. Hudyma's sister and husband and two other friends of Toronto spent Sunday with Mrs. Hudyma and Mrs. Jessica.

Mrs. James Wright entertained Mr. and Mrs. J. Westby of Winnipeg, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Fobert, Sr., and Mrs. P. R. Fobert of Aurora, one day recently.

Miss Ruth Oliver spent the weekend with friends at Keswick.

The Y. P. U. had an enjoyable corn roast at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Ewart on Tuesday night.

There is a prayer meeting being held at the home of Addison Wright Thursday night of this week.

Wesley Ladies' Aid met at the home of Mrs. C. Richardson on Wednesday afternoon.

The devotional—courage, was led by Mrs. W. Graham. Roll call was answered by a verse on faithfulness or workers' reward. The hostesses were Miss Annie Dike and Mrs. John Petch. The topic, Life of Dr. J. Goforth, was taken by Miss L. Hawtin.

Miss Helen Hamilton of Orchard Beach is spending a few days with Miss Ruth Willis.

Miss Jean Willis spent the weekend at Orchard Beach.

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Took No Chances

King Frederick William I was on his deathbed. He asked his spiritual adviser if it was necessary to forgive all his enemies. He was assured this was the usual practice. "Dorothy," said he, "write to your brother that I forgive him all the evil he has done me; but wait until I am dead first."



THE OSTREKOFF JEWELS

By E. Phillips Oppenheim

A GREAT NOVEL OF LOVE AND ADVENTURE

INSTALMENT 26

Building a Triangle

Haven stepped into his car and arrived within a few minutes at Number 4A Harford street. He ignored the automatic lift, mounted the stairs two at a time and rang the bell of the third-floor flat. The neatly attired maid looked at him inquiringly. It occurred to him that Anna might have adopted some other name and he changed the form of his question.

"Is your mistress in?" he asked.

"I'm not sure, sir," the maid replied. "If you will tell me your name I will see."

"Mr. Haven—Mr. Wilfred Haven."

He stepped into the tiny hall. The maid was absent for some minutes. When she returned she threw open the door of a sitting room.

"The gentleman, miss," she announced.

Haven passed into the room and, for a moment, he was conscious of an unexpectedly poignant surge of emotion. His knees felt as they had done the day he first stepped out of his hospital bed. His eyes were hot. He was aware of an immense anxiety. There was no change in her, though. It was Anna Kastellane, precisely as he had known her, who rose and came forward to meet him. There was something faintly deprecating in her upraised eyebrows, something in her expression, he fancied, which asked for his kindness. He held out his hand, which she took readily.

"So you found me out and you really mean to be friendly with a thief and a criminal?" she asked.

"I mean to be friendly with you," he answered.

"You have come after your jewels," she challenged him.

"Of course I have," he assented. "Where are they?"

She motioned him to a chair.

"You would not care for a cup of tea instead?" she suggested.

"I'd like the tea, anyhow," he admitted. "We might talk about the jewels later."

She rang the bell and gave an order. All his impatience seemed to have departed. He was quite content, lounging in his low chair and looking at her. Although she appeared very little changed physically, he detected now a certain alteration which he found it difficult to define. During those hectic days of tragedy and wild excitement which they had spent together she had been all the time inspired by a tumultuous spirit of life. She was ready for any emergency, mistress of herself on every occasion. Today, when she must at any rate have reached some measure of security, the sustaining fire of those days seemed to have burnt out. She was inclined to be listless. She reminded him of a person who had achieved success and found disappointment at the same moment.

"What have you been doing to yourself?" he asked. "You're different somehow."

"Observant man. I have brushed my hair back. They will not believe you are Russian unless you wear it that way, and it really had such an awful time during that expedition of ours that at first the hairdresser here could do nothing with it. There used to be a very good coiffeur at Odessa, but we had no time for frivolities there, had we?"

"We certainly had not," he admitted.

"Talking about changed appearances," she remarked abruptly, "What about yourself? You are ever so much thinner."

"I was quite ill at Cromer," he confided. "I wasn't likely to feel much better, was I, when I recovered consciousness and found you gone? I'll be all right soon. I'm too big to kill."

"You have been worrying about the jewels?"

"Of course I have," he answered wearily. "I'm not worrying so much now, though. Your eyes are exactly the same glorious shade of blue. Just at present that seems more important."

"Have you come here to pay me compliments?"

"No, I came here to wring your neck," he rejoined. "How dared you leave me like that without a word?"

"I have often wondered myself. I just had to. I thought I saw something huge tumbling into my hands. It disappointed me. Most things do."

"You not only robbed me of my jewels," he went on, "but you took away every penny of money I had."

She laughed softly.

"Why, that was nothing — the money, I mean," she protested. "I had to come to London, had I not? Your father was there—a wealthy man. I knew that you could get whatever you wanted. Think how much we saved by not having to pay for the airplane!"

He too smiled.

"It was not the money," he reflected. "It was the sheer brutality of the whole thing—to leave me without a word, stranded there, after all that we'd been through together."

She ignored his last words.

"How have you been passing your time in London?" she inquired.

"Finding out things about you."

"Well, what have you found out?"

"That you are a Bolshevist spy, for one thing."

"Yes, I am a spy," she confessed. "But that was not a discovery. I had already told you that."

"That you had sold one of the Ostrekoff jewels, for another thing," he went on.

"Rather dangerous that, wasn't it?"

"I had to live," she answered simply.

There was a lengthy silence. There were many things he wanted to say, but the glamour of her presence kept him curiously tongue-tied.

"Perhaps it was as well for you," he reflected, "that I had more muscle than brains. I might have left you in that narrow house that looked out upon the boulevard."

She shook her head.

"You could not have done that," she told him. "You would have heard my cry in your ears for the rest of your life."

The maid brought them tea, a straw-colored beverage with a slice of lemon floating on the top.

"You have men visitors, I see," he muttered jealously.

"All my visitors are men."

"Do they come after you or the Ostrekoff jewels?"

"Both. One—the most dangerous of all—comes for the jewels, but he would like me thrown in. Some day I shall probably ask you to kill that man for me."

"Why put it off?" he asked. "I felt danger in the air when I got up this morning. I have that same wicked little automatic in my pocket that served us so well a short time ago."

She sighed.

"It is a pity I do not expect him this evening," she said. "You saw him at the Embassy Club."

"The elegant-looking bounder?"

"How well you describe him! He is terrible."

"Why do you get mixed up with such a crowd?" he asked passionately. "What have you to do with them or they with you? Break it off, Anna. I'll stand by you. I'll find plenty of others who will, too. They probably got hold of you before you understood. You can chuck it. If they want the jewels, let them have them. I didn't come here to talk like this," he stormed, his features quivering with emotion, "but I can't help it. I'm going to say the one thing I swore I wouldn't—whatever you are and whoever you are, Anna. I can't get on without you. I love you, Anna. I want you more than anything else in the world. I'll get you out of any trouble you're in. I don't care for anything that happened before you stabbed that man's fat neck in the airplane and I kissed you afterward. We'll start life from there. If you've been a spy, you're not bound to go on spying all your life. I'll buy you off or fight for you—I'll do anything so long as you come to me."

Her eyes called him and he was across the room with a single movement. His arms were around her. For one long minute their lips met.

"You really do care—like that, Wilfred?" she whispered feverishly. "Can you take the past for granted? Are you sure that the ghosts of it will not rise up and haunt you?"

"Give me yourself—now and for the remainder of my life," he begged. "I'll deal with the ghosts."

Her arms tightened around his neck.

"Perhaps they may not be so terrible, after all," she confided.

"Nothing that you have ever done or could do is terrible," he insisted. "I'll hear it all when you choose to tell it to me—in five, ten, fifteen years' time, if you like. Take me to those men who've been making a spy of you. Let's deal with them and finish the whole thing. Let them have the jewels, if they want them. I'll pay Ellsaveta Ostrekoff for their loss. I'll take you to America. You'll be safe there. We'll settle down and I'll chase the nightmares out of your life."

She was sobbing quietly in his arms. He tried to dry her tears, but she stopped him.

"Let me, please," she begged. "It is the first time I have broken down and it has been so difficult. It might have been any time later when he rose to his feet and she let him go. The maid had come in to draw the curtains, but Anna had waved her away. The gray twilight had a charm of its own. She took him by the arm and led him to the window.

"You see the man standing there?" she pointed out tensely.

"I see him," Haven answered cheerfully. "What do you want me to do with him?"

She wiped the remaining tears from her eyes and laughed at the same time.

"I want him left alone," she declared. "He is not really doing any harm—only they watch me—these men—day and night. You are right, Wilfred. They have not got them yet, but they want the Ostrekoff jewels. Think of the irony of it, my dear—they want the Ostrekoff jewels to pay for their printing, to pay for their foul licentious living, to pay for all the things their terrible creed stands for."

He gazed at her, puzzled. She swung away from the window. Suddenly she gripped him by the arms. Her fingers seemed imbued with a strange force. She looked up into his face, and there was a terribly anxiety in her strained lips, her beseeching eyes.

"Wilfred," she cried, "this is the real you, is it not? You meant what you said? You would forget it—if it were written that you had to forget? You would forgive—if those things you believed of me were true? Take me at my worst. You care for me enough to forget?"

He folded her in his arms. He said very little, and what he said was incoherent, but she was content.

With the coming of happiness life flowed so easily back into the ordinary channels. In a quarter of an hour's time Anna Kastellane was mixing drinks at the sideboard. Haven had moved across toward the telephone.

"You don't mind if I ring up my people?" he begged. "I've four guests coming to dine at 8 o'clock, and I forgot all about it, and it's past 6 now."

She laughed.

"That seems a little hard upon your friends."

"You can be a guest, too, if you like," he suggested. "In fact, there'd be an element of humor in the situation if you came along."

"Why?" she asked. "Don't tell me that you are giving a dinner to some of my Bolshevist chiefs?"

"I'll tell you in a minute," he promised, as he took up the receiver. "Just let me speak to Parkins. That you, Parkins? Good. Look here, I've got four—perhaps five—people coming to dinner. Will you make it all right with Francois. Dinner as soon as he can let us have it. No, I'll leave it entirely to him. Anything he likes. I shall be back in plenty of time to dress. Tell Francois that one of the guests is a young lady, so he'd better have ices and that sort of thing."

"And now?" she asked, "perhaps you will tell me what you mean by saying that there would be an element of humor in my presence at your dinner party tonight and that you have a young lady coming?"

"Let me warn you that I am slowly making up my mind to accept your invitation."

"So much the better," he rejoined with a grin. "Only, if you come, do bring the jewels along with you. I'm entertaining the disappointed young lady and her entourage."

"What disappointed young lady?" Anna demanded.

"The young lady who has been waiting for the jewels," he explained.

She paused in the act of mixing another drink and looked around at him with an expression of hopeless bewilderment.

"Am I crazy or are you?" she asked.

"Well, I don't know," he replied. "I'm a little crazy with joy, but I don't think it's affected my intelligence. I mean the Princess Elisaveta Ostrekoff."

She continued to look at him blankly.

"What about her?"

"She's my guest at dinner this evening. She's arrived from abroad with a Colonel and Madame Olianstransky to claim her jewels. You don't need to worry, dear, if you've parted with them or if it means danger for you to give them up. I can square the young lady. She seems a good sort and I think she'd just as soon have cash."

"Where did you say you found her?"

"I employed a sort of private detective to track her down directly I arrived," he explained. "I couldn't think of anything else to do, because you had the letter in the satchel, containing instructions as to how I should find her. It wasn't a long job, either, and if I'd met her in the street, I would have gone up and told her all about it. Her likeness to her mother is the most extraordinary thing I have ever seen."

Anna Kastellane set down the shaker she was holding and retreated to her easy-chair. She covered her face with her hands and whether she was laughing or crying Haven had no idea.

To Be Continued

Zephyr

Mrs. R. Rynard and daughter, Ruth, of Uxbridge, called on Zephyr friends last Thursday.

Mrs. Tilman Myers spent a couple of days at Balsam lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Alcorn and children of London, also Mr. and Mrs. Les Hart and daughter of Toronto, called to see the Quints at Callander last Saturday. They also spent a day at Peterboro. Mr. Alcorn and family have been spending part of their holidays with their aunt, Miss Julia Madill.

Mrs. R. Harman and Mrs. E. Profit visited Miss L. Crosby one day last week.

Miss Irene Fox of Belleville, who has been spending a couple of weeks with her friend, Loverna Bartlett, returned home on Sunday. Her father, brother and his wife came on Saturday to take her home.

Mrs. W. O. Law and Miss Doris Shier returned home last week having visited Mrs. Thos. Miller of Grimsby for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rynard spent Sunday and Monday in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Wright and family of Toronto spent a few days in Zephyr last week.

Mrs. H. Snowdan is visiting friends in Buffalo.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Meyers and Harold took a trip to Montreal, Ottawa and Callander last week.

Mrs. Wm. Sellers spent a few days at Jackson's Point last week.

Mrs. Galbraith is in Toronto a few days this week.

Mrs. R. Harman and Mrs. Walton have gone to Toronto to be with Mrs. Walton's daughter, Clara, of Pittsburg, who is spending her holidays in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Hulbert, their two daughters and their husbands, of Toronto, spent Sunday at Mrs. Hulbert's sister's, Mrs. Bartlett's. Mrs. Hulbert is staying for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Law returned home on Monday.

Rev. John Murray, M. A., B. D., of Jersey City Presbyterian church, who is visiting his brother at the parsonage, will preach in Zephyr United church on Sunday at 7.30 p.m.

Ashworth

The anniversary services of Ashworth United church will be held on Sept. 11 at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. when Rev. J. R. Bick of Whitevale United church will be the special preacher.

The choir will render special music on this occasion. It is hoped to see former members and adherents present.

Era printing prices are low.

Sandford

There was a good attendance at Sandford United church last Sunday when the topic of the sermon was "Jeremiah, the complaining prophet." If the prophet had not learned the secret of making his complaints unto the Most High God he could never have done the work of the kingdom in the midst of wayward people, the minister believed. He obtained a new vision of life and duty while in that secret place and went forth to uphold the honor of the kingdom. As Christians we are called upon to be prophets, in the words of Paul, we are called upon to shine as lights in the midst of a crooked and perverse generation, he said.

On Sunday next, Rev. John Murray, M. A., B. D., of Jersey City Presbyterian church will preach at the service at 10 a.m.

Era printers take pride in their workmanship.

Cedar Valley

Mr. and Mrs. Howard McClure are accompanying Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hall of Sharon on a trip to Port Huron and other points in Michigan this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Brandon are back in Cedar Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hope and Miss Betty Hope spent last Friday at Bronte.

Misses Irene Pyle, Barbara Bosworth, Marie Reynolds and John Bosworth, Jr., expect to attend Newmarket high school this term.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Galley and Carolyn had Sunday dinner with the Misses Minnie and Aleta Widdifield.

Mrs. Ted Breen, Donald and Ronald have been visiting in Toronto. While there, Donald met with an accident, which it is feared may necessitate the amputation of a finger.

Era printing is delivered promptly.

-- CONTEST --

The management of the Strand Theatre, Newmarket, invites the public to enter the great Movie Quiz contest. The official rules of the MOVIE QUIZ contest to be conducted in conjunction with the MOTION PICTURES GREATEST YEAR campaign, as announced by the committee in charge follow:

1. This contest is open to everybody residing within the 48 states of the U.S.A., District of Columbia and Canada with the exception of persons employed by, or related to any person employed in the motion picture industry. Motion picture boards of review or censorship and those connected with the same, persons whose occupation or business is reviewing motion pictures, motion picture radio commentators, employees or relatives of employees of the advertising agencies, judges and the judging organization associated with this contest are not eligible to enter.

2. This contest is a game of skill. A group of 94 motion picture films will be released and shown on the screen between August 1, 1938, and October 31, 1938. Free booklets will be available at all theatres where these motion pictures will be featured. These booklets will contain simple questions and the correct answers will be found in the pictures shown on the screen. The name of the Motion Picture and the question to be answered for that particular picture is clearly described in the booklet, the question asked belongs only to that one specially designated motion picture and to no other. Thirty questions must be answered to be eligible in this contest.

3. When thirty questions have been answered, then write a statement of not more than fifty words telling the name of the motion picture you liked best and why. Fancy writing or phraseology are not necessary. Just write as if you were telling a friend why the picture appealed to you. Only one fifty word letter may accompany your set of Thirty answers. Your statement may be typewritten or in longhand. Fancy penmanship or artistic writing will not influence the judges. Do not decorate your entries.

4. Your statement must be original and over your own name and signature and bear your true name and bonafide address. Each contestant may submit only one entry. Use one side of paper only in submitting your entry.

5. It is not necessary to wait until the end of the contest to submit your entry. When you have completed the answers to thirty questions you may submit them. Be sure to enclose the fifty word statement with your answers.

6. Entries will be judged by the highest number of correct answers to questions. In the event of ties then the best fifty word statement will be selected and graded on the basis of sincerity, merit, originality and advertising value to determine the winners.

7. In the further event of ties in best statements submitted, duplicate prizes will be awarded.

8. The sponsors of this contest will not be responsible for entries lost in the mails. All entries must be sent by first class mail. In fairness to all contestants no correspondence will be entered into regarding the contest.

9. All entries become the property of the sponsors of this contest and none will be returned.

10. Mail your entries to Movie Quiz Contest (address to be announced), New York City, N. Y. All entries must be post-marked not later than midnight, December 31, 1938.

11. The sponsors of this contest pledge that each and every entry will be carefully read and considered by a nationally known, independent judging organization highly skilled in contest work.

12. To assure absolute fairness to each and all contestants, the final adjudging and distribution of awards will be made by an honorary committee as follows: (To be announced).

13. The judges' decision will be final. Each and every participant in this contest agrees to abstain from any form of litigation whatsoever in any and all matters relating to this contest. Your signed, submitted entry is an express acceptance of the rules and conditions governing this contest.

14. A complete list of winners will be released as soon as possible after the contest closes. Watch for announcements.

Caution: Under no consideration should you purchase solutions to this series of questions from so-called solution experts. The correct answers are known only to the judges and to nobody else.

$250,000 TO BE SPLIT FOR 5,404 PRIZES

There will be 5,404 prizes in the MOVIE QUIZ contest totalling $250,000. First prize will be $50,000 and second prize $25,000, with the others to be awarded in the following order and amounts:

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Five of $5,000 each.
Five of $2,000 each.
Ten of $1,000 each.
Forty of $500 each.
Forty of $250 each.
Three hundred of $100. each.
Five thousand of $10. each.

The prize winners will be announced as soon after the close of the contest on December 31, 1938, as is practicable.

METHOD ILLUSTRATED

In addition to making public the above rules, the contest committee also offers this sample of how questions will be listed:

Let us presume that the picture is "The Singular Mr. Quiz," a Fictitious Picture Corporation production, starring Joe Doakes and Martha Millicent. (The title and the stars are of course suppositious).

In one of the scenes from this picture, Joe and Martha are left alone in the drawing room of her Park Avenue mansion. Suddenly Martha walks out on Joe. The question is: "Why did Martha walk out on Joe in the picture, "The Singular Mr. Quiz?"

One of these four answers is the correct one:

1. She remembers that she has to address a meeting of the League for Prospective Brides.
2. She smells something burning in the kitchen.
3. The script called for it.
4. They have quarrelled.

Common sense, plus your recollection of the picture should tell you that Number Four is the correct answer.

The question may involve neither personalities nor action, but may deal with the description of a scene or a major "prop" as for example:

"Frozen Champagne" (again an imaginary title), a Super-Super Co. production, starring Pierre van Zinch and Gwendolyn Goldlocks.

Pierre and Gloria have finally disposed of the stolen jewels, and sail from New York to Zanzibar to escape the police. They embark on the following type vessel: (Check the correct answer).

1. A two-seated kayak.
2. The Hoboken ferry.
3. A tramp steamer.
4. The Confederate ironclad "Merrimac."

Number three is, you may have guessed the correct answer.

Here is a Complete List of the 94 Pictures included in the "MOVIE QUIZ" Contest

(Please retain this for future reference)

The Affairs Of Annabel, Alexander's Ragtime Band, Algiers, Amazing Dr. Clitterhouse, Arkansas Traveler;

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MOUNT ALBERT

SEE FINE BLOOMS AT FALL DISPLAY

The horticultural society held their annual fall flower and vegetable show in the town hall on Thursday last, when a very good exhibit of both were shown.

The following were prize winners: W. N. Gibney, won the trophy for the most points in the flower section, also the prize for highest points in the vegetable section, and the horticultural ribbon for the most outstanding flower in the show; Miss L. Leek, won a prize, a glassbake pie plate in silver frame, for a living-room boquet; Mrs. W. D. Stokes, a crystal and silver flower bowl donated by the Webb Seed Co.

Mrs. P. Walker won the Lennox memorial cup for collection of annuals and perennials.

The winners in cut flowers were: single asters, 1st, W. N. Gibney; double asters, Miss L. Leek, 2nd, W. N. Gbiney; balsams, 1st, Miss Stokes, 2nd, Mrs. Hall; calliopsis, 1st, Mrs. P. Walker, 2nd, Mrs. Stokes; centauria, 1st, W. N. Gibney, 2nd, Mrs. Stokes.

Carnations, 1st, Mrs. Hall; cosmos, single, 1st, W. N. Gibney, 2nd, Mrs. P. Walker; cosmos, double, 1st, Gibney; celosia, 1st, W. N. Gibney; cornflower, 1st, E. Hayes; clarkia, 1st, Mrs. Stokes; dahlia decoration, 1st, Mrs. Hall, 2nd, M. Gibney; gaillardia, annual, 1st, W. N. Gibney; gaillardia, perennial, 1st, E. Hayes, 2nd, M. Gibney; collection geranium, 1st, Mrs. Davis, 2nd, Mrs. Walker, gladioli (picardy), 1st, W. N. Gibney, 2nd, Mrs. E. Watts;

Gladioli, 3 spikes, 1st, W. N. Gibney, 2nd, Mrs. Stokes; gladioli collection, 1st, W. N. Gibney, 2nd, Mrs. Hall; gladioli best spike, 1st, Mrs. Davis, 2nd, W. N. Gibney; primulinus, 1st, Mrs. C. Walker, 2nd, Mrs. R. Stewart; hollyhocks, single, 1st, Miss E. Hayes; larkspur, 1st, Mrs. E. Watts, 2nd, Miss L. Leek; lily, 1st, Mrs. Hall, 2nd, Miss Hayes; marigold, 1st, W. N. Gibney, 2nd, Miss Hayes; calendula, 1st, W. N. Gibney, 2nd, Mrs. P. Walker; nasturtium, single, 1st, W. N. Gibney, 2nd, Roy Carr; nasturtium double, 1st, Mrs. P. Walker;

Nicotine, 1st, Miss Harman, 2nd, Mrs. Hall; pansies, 1st, Mrs. Walker, 2nd, Mrs. Stokes; petunia, small single, 1st, Mrs. Leadbetter, 2nd, Mr. Tilley; petunia, single, 1st, W. N. Gibney, 2nd, Mrs. Walker; petunia double, 1st, W. N. Gibney, 2nd, Mrs. Walker; phlox, annual, 1st, W. N. Gibney, 2nd, Mrs. Walker;

Phlox, perennial, 1st, Mrs. Walker, 2nd, M. Gibney; pinks, 1st, W. N. Gibney, 2nd, Mrs. Walker; salpiglossis, 1st, Mrs. Walker, 2nd, Mrs. Steeper;

Scabiosa, 1st, W. N. Gibney, 2nd, Mrs. Walker; snapdragon, 1st, W. N. Gibney, 2nd, Mrs. R. Davis; stocks, 1st, Mrs. Walker, 2nd, Mrs. Stokes; sweet-peas, 1st, Mrs. Steeper, 2nd, Mrs. P. Walker; verbena, 1st, W. N. Gibney, 2nd, Mrs. Steeper; zinnia, large, 1st, W. N. Gibney, 2nd, Mrs. Steeper; zinnia, pompom, 1st, Miss Hayes, 2nd, Roy Carr; zinnia, cactus, 1st, Mrs. Steeper, 2nd, Miss Hayes;

Plants in pots: geranium, single, 1st, Mrs. Davis, 2nd, Mrs. Walker; geranium, double, 1st, Mrs. P. Walker; fern, asparagus, 1st, Mrs. Hall; fern, any other variety, 1st, Mrs. Hall;

Collection of foliage plants, 1st, Mrs. Davis, 2nd, Mrs. Ross; tuberous begonia, 1st, Miss Harmon, 2nd, Mrs. Hall; begonia (any variety), 1st, Miss Hayes, 2nd, Mrs. Davis; gloxinia, 1st, Mrs. Steeper; hydrangea, 1st, Mrs. Steeper; fuschia, 1st, Mrs. Stokes, 2nd, Miss Hayes; cacti collection, 1st, Mrs. Davis; sanseveria, 1st, Mrs. Davis, 2nd, Mrs. Hall;

Best foliage plant, 1st, Mrs. Davis, 2nd, Mrs. Ross; asphidistra, 1st, Miss Leek, 2nd, Mrs. Hall; children's display, 1st, Douglas Ross, 2nd, Elmer Paisley;

Vegetables: beans, green, 1st, W. N. Gibney, 2nd, Miss Hayes; beans, climbers, 1st, Roy Carr, 2nd, Miss Hayes; beets, 1st, Mrs. Walker, 2nd, W. N. Gibney; golden bantam corn, 1st, Mrs. Davis, 2nd, Mrs. Walker; corn, (white), 1st, W. N. Gibney; cabbage, 1st, Mrs. Hall, 2nd, W. N. Gibney;

Cauliflower, 1st, W. N. Gibney; carrots, 1st, Mr. Tilley, 2nd, Mrs. Hall; celery, 1st, Miss Harman, 2nd, Mrs. Hall; cucumbers, 1st, W. N. Gibney, 2nd, Mrs. P. Walker;

Onions, sets, 1st, Mrs. Davis; 2nd, W. N. Gibney; onions, seed, 1st, W. N. Gibney; sweet peppers, 1st, W. N. Gibney, 2nd, Miss Leek; peppers, pickling, 1st, W. N. Gibney; late potatoes, 1st, Mrs. Hall, 2nd, Mrs. Davis; early potatoes, 1st, Mrs. Davis, 2nd, Mrs. Stokes; hubbard squash, 1st, Miss Hayes, 2nd, Mrs. Davis; yellow squash; 1st, Roy Carr, 2nd, Miss Hayes; pumpkin, (pie), 1st, Mrs. Davis, 2nd, W. N. Gibney; parsnips, 1st, Mrs. Hall, 2nd, W. N. Gibney; salsify, 1st, Miss Harman; pepper squash, 1st, Miss Hayes, 2nd, Miss Harman.

Other prizes were received from the Victoria Paper and Twine Company, Toronto, J. J. McCaffrey, Newmarket, W. P. Mulock, M. P., and many local people which all helped to make a successful show.

Mrs. Alfred Brooks of Toronto has been a guest at the home of Mrs. Horace Brown.

Mrs. Kendry and family of Montreal have been recent visitors at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Arnold.

Misses Florence and Gladys Brooks have returned from a holiday trip to the Pacific coast.

Mrs. H. Rolling held a miscellaneous shower on Thursday evening last, for Mrs. Jas. Kier (nee Mabel Pegg) a bride of a few weeks, who was quietly married at the parsonage. Mrs. Kier received many lovely gifts from her many friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Steeper, Mr. and Mrs. E. Wrightman and Marilyn, and Mrs. Maxwell of Markham left Sunday on a motor trip to Chatham and Dresden to visit relatives for several days.

Mrs. Steeper, Miss Elsie Steeper, and Miss Tillie Dunn attended the wedding of Miss Helen Dunn and Mr. Harold Clark, at Richmond Hill on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Carr, of Toronto, spent the weekend at the home of Mr. Carr's nephew, Mr. Roy Carr.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Pegg and family spent Sunday with their cousin, Mrs. Roy Carr.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Evans and son, Bruce, and Miss Doreen Carr, of Toronto, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Carr.

Mr. and Mrs. Alto Davison and son, and also Mr. and Mrs. Nevils, of Cookstown were Sunday visitors at the Carr home.

Mrs. John Emerson and daughter Ferne, of Toronto spent last weekend with their aunt, Mrs. Matt. Risebrough, and other relatives. They also attended the funeral of the late Arthur Harrison.

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QUEENSVILLE

SERVICE IS TAKEN BY YOUNG PEOPLE

"Seeking God in Nature" was the theme on which the Sunday morning church service was based and which was given by the local young people's union. A goodly number were present. Murray Huntley, the president, was in charge of the service, with Charlie Milstead as speaker.

Miss Marian Burkholder read the scripture lessons and Fred Dew led in prayer. Miss Vera Arnold presided at the organ. A young people's choir of 20 voices rendered three selections, "Spirit of the Living God," "God Who Touchest Earth with Beauty," and "Sweep Over My Soul." Mr. Patterson, soloist in West Toronto United church, was guest soloist and sang "The Loving Shepherd," a Ukrainian melody, arranged by Wm. Henry Howlett.

Rev. Mr. Shannon and the regular choir will have charge of the services again, beginning next Sunday at 11 a.m. A cordial invititation is extended to all.

Jubilee Singers Are Coming

The famous Virginia jubilee singers will be in Queensville United church to give a concert on Thursday, Sept. 29. Everyone is asked to keep this date open.

Crowds See Ball Games

The play-off series in the L. S. S. L. is this year certainly causing a great deal of excitement. Many from here have been attending the games, which have all been well attended. Everyone is looking forward to the final series between Mount Albert and Willow Beach and may the better team win.

Are Competing at C. N. E.

The Canadian National Exhibition is certainly drawing the crowds this year. Many from here are attending. Harry Hulse and George Williams have entries and they are both wished success.

Killed By Motor Car

The sympathy of this community goes out to the bereaved relatives and friends of the late Robert Ashenhurst. Mr. Ashenhurst was struck with a car while crossing a street in Toronto on Monday morning. He was rushed to St. Michael's hospital, but died later in the day.

Mrs. J. J. Young, Mr. Clare Young, Miss Marian Young and Miss Simpson of Wilcox Lake spent Friday visiting Mrs. L. M. Lewis.

Mr. Murray Huntley spent a few days last week at Camilla visiting Rev. Terry Hart. Mr. Hart returned to Queensville to spend the weekend at the Huntley home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Moore and daughter, Betty, of Toronto, are spending a few days visiting at the Watson home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Patton and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Staples and family of Toronto, spent last week at the Lewis home. Mrs. Lewis returned with them to Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wrightman moved on Tuesday to Mount Albert. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Batt will be moving to the village soon.

Miss Dorothy Shannon leaves next week for Guelph where she will go in training for a nurse at a Guelph hospital. Miss Margaret Shannon goes to Alton to teach school.

Mr. and Mrs. Highfield from Bowmanville and Mr. and Mrs. William Bell from Whitby, Mrs. John Puckering, from the North West, spent Sunday with Mrs. George Thompson at Mr. Byron Cunningham's.

SERVED SCHOOL FOR MANY YEARS

A fine citizen and a life-long resident of Whitchurch township, William Reid died at Pine Orchard on Sunday, Aug. 21. He had been in ill health for some time and was confined to his bed for six weeks.

Orangemen of the Mount Albert lodge attended in a body the funeral service held on Tuesday, Aug. 23. Mr. Reid was the oldest member of the Mount Albert lodge.

There was a service at the home in Pine Orchard and at Mount Albert cemetery.

Mr. Reid was born at Shrubmount, the son of Eliza Bingham and Wm. Reid. He would have been 79 on the day following his burial.

He married Emma Gibney, daughter of the late Francis Gibney of Holt, and at the time of his death was one week short of celebrating his 26th wedding anniversary.

Mr. Reid was a member of the Presbyterian church. He served as secretary and trustee of the school board at Shrubmount for a number of years.

Surviving are his wife and one daughter, Helen. Rev. P. Currie, Toronto, in the absence of Dr. D. McIntyre, conducted the funeral service. Pallbearers were all nephews, Fred, Herb and Bruce Reid, of Pine Orchard, and Lyman Pearson, Roe Crone and Bruce Lapp, all of Mount Albert.

MRS. J. E. POLLOCK DIES AT AGE OF 77

Seventy-seven years of age, Mrs. Linda Frances Crittenden Pollock of Keswick died on Tuesday at York county hospital. Mrs. Pollock was a native of North Gwillimbury and spent all her life there. She was a member of the Christian church at Keswick.

She is survived by her husband, Joseph E. Pollock, and two children, Mrs. A. B. Currey of Gore Bay and E. M. Pollock of Sutton West. The funeral service is being held today, with interment in Queensville cemetery.

Pop: "Well, I received a note from your teacher today."

Son: "Honest, Pop? Give me a quarter and I won't breathe a word about it."

Ravenshoe

Mr. G. W. Norris and son, Thomas, Toronto, were calling on old friends around here on Friday.

Mrs. R. Young spent Friday at Mr. J. B. Clark's.

Sunday visitors at Thos. Smith's were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Allsop and Emery, Uxbridge, and Mr. and Mrs. A. Georgas, Newmarket.

Mrs. W. M. Sheppard spent a couple of days with her daughter, Mrs. Wm. McClure.

Mrs. Roy Fenton, Toronto, spent a couple of days with Mrs. O. Blizzard last week.

Messrs. Caldwell, C. Pickerill and E. Goodfellow were visiting at Mr. W. Pickerill's on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs D. Benton and Dorothy spent Friday evening visiting Mrs. Benton's aunt, Mrs. W. Grant, of Kirkfield.

Threshing Blaze Destroys Queensville Barn, Contents

Just as the threshing crew commenced work on the farm of Frank Milne at Queensville, Saturday morning, a ball of fire, going through the blower, set fire to the straw and flames quickly destroyed the barn and contents.

A hastily organized bucket brigade tried to halt the progress of the fire but could do nothing. The thresher, property of Elmer Stickwood, Queensville, was pulled from the blazing interior, unharmed, but the fire spread so quickly that chaff on top of the machine was ignited before the machine could be hauled out.

A calf, 1,000 bushels of wheat, 1,500 bushels of other grain and 40 loads of hay, were lost. Three barns, standing close together, fell prey to the flames. The total loss was estimated at $8,000, partly covered by insurance.

The house nearby, and several other buildings were saved by the efforts of firefighters who started pouring water on them as soon as the fire was discovered.

The origin of the blaze is undetermined. There was no indication of flames until the ball of fire landed in the mow. It is reported that there was no hot-box on the machine.

On Sunday, all that remained was the stone foundation and hundreds of bushels of still smouldering grain, below where the granary had once been.

League Leaders Defeated By Mounties In Third Game

Mount Albert And Willow Beach Will Battle It Out

The largest crowd to attend any of this year's play-off games was present at Sharon on Monday, when Keswick went down to defeat by the score of 10-6 in the third game with Mount Albert. Now the team managed by Horace Pearson will meet Willow Beach in the finals. A large number of spectators from Newmarket attended the game and the Lake Simcoe League officials and teams appreciate their attendance at the play-offs and all the scheduled games since the league opened on May 16.

Errors played a big part in Keswick's defeat. Waldon pitched a good game for Doug. Trivett's team, but received poor support from his team mates at times. Mitchell, pitching for Mount Albert, received good support from his team. A one-handed catch by Pegg of a drive from the bat of Tomlinson, with two Keswick men on bases, was the feature fielding play of the game. Mahoney, in centre field for the Keswick team, played a great game and robbed Mount Albert of several hits by making sensational catches.

Keswick won the toss of the coin and Mount Albert went to bat first, and scored three runs in the first inning. Ward was safe when Tomlinson dropped R. Connel's throw. Mitchell struck out, Case hit a hard grounder to Trivett, who threw to R. Connell at second and Connell fumbled the ball and both runners were safe. Watts singled, filling the bases. On a bad throw by Hodgins to second base to catch Case off the base, Ward and Case scored, and Watts went to third and scored on a fly ball by Robertson. Draper popped to R. Connell.

Keswick scored one run in the first inning. R. Connel singled, Prosser doubled, scoring Connell. Waldon flied out to Draper, and Prosser took third base and scored on Tomlinson's fly ball to Davis. Trivett was out, Sewart to Case.

Three more runs were scored by the Keswick team in the third inning on a walk to L. Connell, singles by Prosser and Waldon and Tomlinson's double.

Mount Albert tied the score in the fourth inning when Harry Draper hit a home run to left field. Waldon put the Keswick team one run ahead in the fifth inning when he drove a home run. On hits by Hodgins, R. Connell and Waldon, Keswick scored one more run in the sixth inning.

Davis singled to open the seventh inning for the Mount Albert team and scored on a home run by Pegg. Ward singled and Mitchell was out on a short fly ball to Tomlinson. Case got on on an error, Watts walked, Robertson's long fly to Prosser was misjudged, and Ward and Case scored. Draper flied out to Mahoney. Sewart doubled and Watts and Robertson scored. Davis flied out to Mahoney to end the inning. Mitchell held Keswick scoreless in their last batting.

Line ups: Mount Albert: Ward, 2b; Mitchell, p; Case, 1b; Watts, c; Robertson, 3b; Draper, cf; Sewart, ss; Davis, lf; Pegg, rf.

Keswick: R. Connell, ss; Prosser, lf; Waldon, p; Tomlinson, 1b; Trivett, 2b; McGinnis, 3b; Mahoney, cf; Hodgins, c; L. Connell, lf.

The game was umpired by the McLeod brothers.

Score by innings:
Mt. Albert -3 0 0 1 0 0 6—10
Keswick — 1 0 3 0 1 1 0— 6

Maple Hill

An enjoyable time was spent last Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Scott when a corn and wiener roast was held. About 30 were present. Games were played and the evening ended by singing a number of choruses.

Miss Phyllis Marritt of Beaverton, also Miss Winnifred Weatherall, of Pefferlaw, were present at the corn roast on Thursday evening at Scott's.

Mrs. Robt. Reid is improving in strength after her operation.

Charles Sedore is still very ill and a speedy recovery is hoped for.

Mr. Gordon Wrate spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. Swanson.

Miss Marjorie Wyte spent Sunday with Miss Grace Scott.

Mr. Malcolm Love was home visiting his parents for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Love, also Malcolm and Murray, motored to Toronto on Monday to attend the Canadian National Exhibition.

Miss Winnifred Weatherall spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Fred Knights.

Sunday services are as usual, with Sunday-school at 10.45 a.m., prayer meeting at 7 p.m., and the preaching service at 7.30. A welcome is extended to all.

BELHAVEN

CHILD IS BITTEN IN FACE BY DOG

Miss Margaret Cunningham spent a few days with her aunt last week. Misses Joan Nesbitt and Evelyn Adams called on her one day and the three girls went to Keswick on their bicycles.

Mrs. Alex Wilson of Toronto visited her sister in Keswick last week and also called at Belhaven on Friday.

Mrs. E. Neilson's little son, Leland, had the misfortune to be bitten by a dog and had to have some stitches in his face one day last week.

Some of the farmers are through with their harvest and threshing. The threshing machines are busy and farmers are preferring to get the work over with before the fall, which is fast approaching.

The Women's Institute is holding their meeting in the community hall on Tuesday, Sept. 13. This will be the grandmother's meeting. The program will include: roll call, a proverb; convenors for program, Mrs. C. Morton, Mrs. R. Weddel, Mrs. F. Lockie, Mrs. Thos. Horner; music by grandmothers; demonstration by grandmothers; paper on agriculture, Mrs. Erwin Winch. There will be a pot luck supper. All are welome.

Keswick

The W. M. S. of the United church will hold its opening meeting of the fall season on Thursday afternoon, Sept. 8, in the Sunday-school room at 2.30 o'clock. A full attendance is requested as final arrangements will be made then for the rally which is to be held on Sept. 30.

MIGHT WON'T RULE SAYS McCULLEY

There is no need to be discouraged, according to Headmaster Joseph McCulley, writing in the Pickering College, Voyageur, which made its appearance during the summer holidays.

"These are troublous times," writes Mr. McCulley. "Day after day our newspaper brings us stories of strife in various parts of the world; it reports a new rising tide of unemployment and economic distress with their attendant human misery; it carries the story of man's inhumanity to man the world o'er. This is not the time or the place to expand at length on these matters. It is, rather, my pleasure to indicate that in spite of the shadows which hang over us, there is still youth, there is still hopefulness and optimism and that there is still idealism. It would rather be my purpose to stress the fact that underneath the chaos and turbulence of our present world, there are fundamental and eternal values—that in the final analysis, might, force and strength are not the ultimate arbiters of human destiny.

"Those of us who are faced with the task of education in these difficult days full well realize the responsibility that is ours—of preparing young men to enter a world that may probably be a more difficult one than any that their forefathers have experienced."

Another article states that J. W. Holmes, English teacher, will be studying at the University of London for at least two years with leave of absence from Pickering.

Sutton Show

PRIZE WINNERS OF AGRICULTURAL AND HORSE SHOW

These results from the Sutton Horse Show have not previously been published.

Heavy Horses
Clydesdales

Team in harness: E. A. Pascoe, Whitby, Stewart M. Bell, Barrie;

Brood mare with foal at side: D. McArthur, Uxbridge, D. McArthur, Uxbridge, William Sellers, Sutton West;

Foal: D. McArthur, Uxbridge, D. McArthur, Uxbridge, D. R. Howard, Sutton West;

Yearling, Gelding or Filly: D. McArthur, Uxbridge, Mrs. Thos. Comer, Baldwin, D. R. Howard, Sutton West;

2-year-old, gelding or filly: James Torrence, Markham, Noble Munro, Sutton West, J. A. Winch, Sutton West;

Yield mare: Stewart M. Bell, Barrie, E. A. Pascoe, Whitby;

3-year-old, Gelding or Filly, Stewart M. Bell, Barrie;

Percherons and Belgians

Teams in harness: Wilfred Short, Woodville, E. T. Stephens, Richmond Hill, Lawrence Prosser, Sutton West;

Brood mare with foal at side: Lloyd Stiles, Sutton West, Lloyd McKee, Port Perry;

Foal: Lloyd McKee, Port Perry, Lloyd Stiles, Sutton West;

Two-year-old, gelding or filly: Lloyd McKee, Port Perry;

Stallion, 2-year-old and over: J. B. Aylward, Queensville.

Express

Team in harness: E. T. Stephens, Richmond Hill, Wilfred Short, Woodville, W. G. Shea, Whitby;

Brood mare: J. B. Clark, Ravenshoe, Murray Munro, Sutton West;

Foal: William Sellers, Sutton West, J. B. Clark, Ravenshoe;

Yearling, gelding or filly: Murray Munro, Sutton West;

Two-year-old, gelding or filly: Murray Munro, Sutton West, F. W. Tomlinson, Baldwin.

Specials

Farm team: Lawrence Prosser, Sutton West;

Heavy express horse in harness: E. T. Stephens, Richmond Hill, Wilfred Short, Woodville;

Light express horse in harness: Lloyd McKee, Port Perry, W. G. Shea, Whitby;

Best mare of gelding, any age: James Torrence, Markham;

Best team: E. A. Pascoe, Whitby;

Four horse team, draught or express: Wilfred Short, Woodville, W. G. Shea, Whitby;

Best foal of 1938, sired by Prince of Matthews: D. R. Howard, Sutton West, George Windatt, Sutton West, Lloyd Stiles, Sutton West;

Light Horses

Brood mare with foal at side: Blue Top Stables, Kitchener, Mary Roadhouse, King;

Foal: Blue Top Stables, Kitchener, Sam Mahoney, Belhaven;

Gelding or filly, yearling: Blue Top Stables, Kitchener;

Gelding or filly, 2-year-old: Noble Munro, Sutton West;

Gelding or filly, yearling, type to make a hunter: Milford Rye, Keswick, Blue Top Stables, Kitchener;

Gelding or filly, 2-year-old, type to make a hunter: Mary Roadhouse, King, Noble Munro, Sutton West;

Gelding or filly, 3-year-old in harness: S. J. Miller, Milverton, S. J. Miller, Milverton;

Roadster mare or gelding in harness, 15½ hands and over: A. W. Glenny, Newcastle, Blue Top Stables, Kitchener, Lloyd Kennedy, Bethany;

Roadster mare or gelding in harness, under 15½ hands: S. J. Miller, Milverton, Sam Hastings, Tottenham, A. W. Glenny, Newcastle;

Championship roadster: A. W. Glenny, Newcastle;

Roadster team: Lloyd Kennedy, Bethany, A. W. Glenny, Newcastle, Wilmot Hussey, Alliston;

Lady's driver: S. J. Miller, Milverton, Lloyd Kennedy, Bethany;

Gent's turnout, with road horse: Blue Top Stables, Kitchener, Sam Hastings, Tottenham.

High Steppers

Mare or gelding in harness, 15.2 hands and over: Mrs. T. N. D. Kelly, Peterborough, S. J. Miller, Milverton;

Mare or gelding, in harness, under 15.2 hands: Mrs. T. N. D. Kelly, Peterborough, S. J. Miller, Milverton;

Pair in harness: Mrs. T. N. D. Kelly, Peterborough, S. J. Miller, Milverton;

Gentleman's turnout: Mrs. T. N. D. Kelly, Peterborough, S. J. Miller, Milverton;

Tandem: S. J. Miller, Milverton.

CATTLE

Shorthorns

Bull calf, under 1 year: Harry Comer, Baldwin;

Yearling, heifer: J. B. Clark, Ravenshoe;

Heifer calf, under 1 year: J. B. Clark, Ravenshoe;

Champion, male or female: Harry Comer, Baldwin.

Herefords

Bull, 2 years and over: R. H. Newman & Sons, Udney, Lorne Bagshaw, Uxbridge;

Yearling bull: R. H. Newman & Sons, Udney;

Aged cow: R. H. Newman, Udney, Lorne Bagshaw, Uxbridge;

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Heifer calf, under 1 year: Lorne Bagshaw, Uxbridge, R. H. Newman & Sons, Udney;

Herd, 1 bull and 3 females: R. H. Newman & Sons, Udney, Lorne Bagshaw, Uxbridge;

Champion, male or female: R. H. Newman & Sons.

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Aged cow: Malcolm Bailey, Uxbridge, B. Blackburn, Uxbridge.

Heifer, 2 years old: Malcolm Bailey, Uxbridge, B. Blackburn, Uxbridge;

Heifer calf, under 1 year: Malcolm Bailey, Uxbridge, Malcolm Bailey, Uxbridge;

Yearling heifer: Malcolm Bailey, Uxbridge, B. Blackburn, Uxbridge;

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Yearling heifer: B. Blackburn, Uxbridge;

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